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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Davis George Eric Issuer Symbol **BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL** (Check all applicable) INC [BMRN] 10% Owner (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director X_ Officer (give title _ _ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O BIOMARIN 04/30/2012 SVP, General Counsel

PHARMACEUTICAL INC., 105 **DIGITAL DRIVE**

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

NOVATO. CA 94949

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - N	on-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (Instr.		4. Securit mor Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/30/2012(1)		A	V	980	A	\$ 19.346	40,631	D	
Common Stock	05/08/2012		A		13,000	A	<u>(2)</u>	53,631	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Exercise any (Month/Day/Year) crivative		4. 5. Number of TransactiorDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year	7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.46	05/08/2012		A	32,500	11/08/2012(3)	05/07/2022	Common Stock	32,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Davis George Eric

C/O BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC.

105 DIGITAL DRIVE NOVATO, CA 94949 SVP, General Counsel

Signatures

/s/ Laura Randall Woodhead,

Attorney-in-Fact

05/10/2012

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The reporting person is voluntarily reporting the acquisition of shares of the issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Progam ("ESPP"), for the ESPP purchase period o November 1, 2011 to April 30, 2012.
- (2) Restricted stock units granted on May 8, 2012. Price not applicable.
- (3) Options vest 6/48ths on November 8, 2012 and 1/48th on the 8th of each month thereafter.

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