

INHIBITEX, INC.  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**INHIBITEX, INC. [INHX]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
345 PARK AVENUE,  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/13/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director  10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

NEW YORK, NY 10154

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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, PAR VALUE \$0.001 PER SHARE	02/13/2012		J	81,793,316 (1) (2) (3) (5)	A \$ 26 85,342,020 (1) (2) (3) (4) (5)	I (1)	SEE NOTES
COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$0.001 PER SHARE	02/13/2012		J	3,548,704 (1) (2) (4) (5)	A \$ 26 85,342,020 (1) (2) (3) (4) (5)	I (1)	SEE NOTES

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Table with 10 columns: 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3), 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security, 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year), 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year), 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8), 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5), 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year), 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4), 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5), 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 6)

Reporting Owners

Table with 2 main columns: Reporting Owner Name / Address and Relationships. Relationships sub-columns: Director, 10% Owner, Officer, Other. Entries include BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO and Inta Acquisition Corp with 'X' marks in the 10% Owner column.

Signatures

/s/ Demetrios Kydonieus for Bristol-Myers Squibb Company 02/15/2012

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Demetrios Kydonieus for Inta Acquisition Corporation 02/15/2012

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).

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- (1) Intra Acquisition Corporation, a Delaware corporation ("Purchaser"), is wholly-owned by Bristol-Myers Squibb Company ("Parent").

On January 7, 2012, Inhibitex, Inc. ("Issuer") entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement") with Parent and

- (2) Purchaser. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, and upon the terms and subject to the conditions thereof, Purchaser commenced a cash tender offer to acquire all of the shares of the Issuer's common stock (the "Offer") for a purchase price of \$26.00 per share in cash.

At 12:00 midnight, New York City time, on February 10, 2012, the Offer expired as scheduled. The Offer was not extended. Based on the information provided by the depository for the Offer to Parent, as of the expiration of the Offer, approximately 81,793,316 shares of

- (3) Common Stock were validly tendered and not validly withdrawn prior to the expiration of the Offer, including approximately 4,260,705 shares of Common Stock subject to guaranteed delivery procedures. Purchaser has accepted for payment all shares of Common Stock validly tendered and not validly withdrawn.

Concurrently with the execution of the Merger Agreement, each of Gabriele Cerrone, Panetta Partners, Ltd., Russell H. Plumb, New Enterprise Associates 10, Limited Partnership, New Enterprise Associates 11, Limited Partnership and Michael James Barrett (each, a

- (4) "Stockholder"), among others, entered into a Tender and Support Agreement with the Issuer, Parent and Purchaser (the "Support Agreement"). Pursuant to the Support Agreement, each Stockholder, among other things, elected to exercise such Stockholder's warrants and/or vested options, on a net exercise basis, following the acceptance of the Offer and to transfer those newly-issued Shares to Purchaser. Collectively, the Stockholders transferred 3,548,704 shares of Common Stock to Purchaser.

- (5) The shares of Common Stock validly tendered and not validly withdrawn collectively with the shares of Common Stock transferred to Purchaser under the Support Agreement represent approximately 96% of the shares of Common Stock outstanding.

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