Conatus Pharmaceuticals Inc

Form 4 June 23, 2014

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Conatus Pharmaceuticals Inc

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Scopa James Paul

(First) (Middle)

C/O CONATUS PHARMACEUTICALS INC., 4365

EXECUTIVE DRIVE, SUITE 200

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

06/19/2014

Symbol

[CNAT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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

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

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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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.97	06/19/2014		A	15,000	<u>(1)</u>	06/18/2024	Common Stock	15,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Scopa James Paul C/O CONATUS PHARMACEUTICALS INC. 4365 EXECUTIVE DRIVE, SUITE 200 SAN DIEGO, CA 92121	X					

Signatures

/s/ Charles J. Cashion, Attorney-in-Fact for James Paul Scopa 06/23/2014

**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).

The shares subject to this option become exercisable as the shares vest. The entire number of shares subject to this option becomes fully (1) vested and exercisable on the first anniversary of the grant date, subject to the Reporting Person's continued service on the board of directors of the Issuer through such vesting date.

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