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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Pruzanski Mark

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

INTERCEPT

04/01/2015

PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ICPT]

(Check all applicable)

CEO & President

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

C/O INTERCEPT PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 450 W. 15TH STREET, SUITE 505

(State)

(Zip)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

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

NEW YORK, NY 10011

(City)

		Table 1 Troit Derivative Securities Required, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3. 4. Securities Acquired (A)			5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction Disposed of (D)			Securities	Ownership	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8))			Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
							Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported	(I)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
					or	.	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price			
Common Stock	04/01/2015		M	4,868 (3)	A	(2)	495,900	D	
Common Stock	04/02/2015		S(1)	157	D	\$ 277.7006	495,743	D	

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Code	5. Number conf Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	04/01/2015	M	4,868	(3)	(3)	Common Stock	4,868	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Pruzanski Mark C/O INTERCEPT PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 450 W. 15TH STREET, SUITE 505 NEW YORK, NY 10011	X		CEO & President			

Signatures

/s/ Bryan Yoon, as attorney-in-fact 04/03/2015

**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).
- Each employee of the Issuer who has received restricted stock awards has agreed to a mandatory sale of a sufficient number of shares of common stock to cover his or her withholding tax amounts upon the vesting of such restricted stock awards. The sales denoted here were made pursuant to such agreement to cover withholding tax obligations of the employee.
- (2) Conversion of restricted stock units ("RSUs") to shares of common stock on a one-to-one basis.
 - On November 16, 2012, the reporting person was granted 77,884 RSUs. The RSUs reported as having been disposed and the corresponding shares reported as having been acquired, representing 6.25% of the shares underlying the RSUs, became vested on April 1,
- (3) 2015, subject to the terms and conditions of the award and the Intercept Pharmaceuticals, Inc. 2012 Equity Incentive Plan (the "2012 Plan"). The remainder of the shares underlying the RSUs will vest pro rata on a quarterly basis from July 1, 2015 through January 1, 2016, subject to the terms and conditions of the award and the 2012 Plan.

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