

INTERCEPT PHARMACEUTICALS INC

Form 4

December 22, 2015

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Shapiro David

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10011

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

INTERCEPT
PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ICPT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/18/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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 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)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock	12/18/2015		M		3,736	A \$ 8.6667	32,131 D
Common Stock	12/18/2015		M		7,471	A \$ 21.5	39,602 D
Common Stock	12/18/2015		M		219	A \$ 31.9	39,821 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)	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. Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 8.6667	12/18/2015		M	3,736	<u>(1)</u> 10/13/2021	Common Stock	3,736
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 21.5	12/18/2015		M	7,471	<u>(2)</u> 11/16/2022	Common Stock	7,471
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 31.9	12/18/2015		M	219	<u>(3)</u> 05/07/2023	Common Stock	219

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Shapiro David
C/O INTERCEPT PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.
450 W. 15TH STREET, SUITE 505
NEW YORK, NY 10011

CMO and EVP - Development

Signatures

/s/ Bryan Yoon, as
attorney-in-fact

12/22/2015

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) All shares underlying this option have vested.
- (2) The remainder of the shares originally underlying this option vest on a pro rata monthly basis through January 1, 2016, subject to the terms and conditions the award and the Intercept Pharmaceuticals, Inc. 2012 Equity Incentive Plan.
- (3) The remainder of the shares originally underlying this option vest on a pro rata monthly basis through January 1, 2017, subject to the terms and conditions the award and the Intercept Pharmaceuticals, Inc. 2012 Equity Incentive Plan.

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