

EPIX Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
Form 4/A
September 12, 2006

FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FORTUNE PATRICK J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O EPIX PHARMACEUTICALS,
INC., 4 MAGUIRE ROAD**

(Street)

LEXINGTON, MA 02421

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

EPIX Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [EPIX]

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

08/16/2006

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

08/18/2006

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify
below)

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

☒ 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 (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)
				(A) or (D)			
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Derivative Securities

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)							
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.27 ⁽¹⁾	08/16/2006	A		5,555 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>		⁽³⁾	08/16/2006	Common Stock	5,555	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FORTUNE PATRICK J C/O EPIX PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 4 MAGUIRE ROAD LEXINGTON, MA 02421	X			

Signatures

/s/ Michael Berdik,
Attorney-in-Fact

09/12/2006

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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- On August 16, 2006, Mr. Fortune was granted an option to acquire 8,333 shares of the Issuer's common stock at an exercise price of
- (1) \$4.85 per share. The exercise price and number of shares subject to the option, as reported above, reflect the 1-for-1.5 reverse stock split of the Issuer's common stock effected on August 16, 2006.
 - (2) These shares were omitted from the reporting person's original Form 4.
 - (3) The 5,555 shares of common stock subject to this option vest in three approximately equal installments beginning on August 16, 2007.

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