

ALDER BIOPHARMACEUTICALS INC

Form 4

April 01, 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 *
Latham John A

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
ALDER BIOPHARMACEUTICALS
INC [ALDR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
11804 NORTH CREEK PARKWAY
SOUTH

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/30/2015

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
Chief Scientific Officer

(Street)
BOTHELL, WA 98011

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(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	03/30/2015		M	(A) Amount 14,500 (1)	Price \$ 0.385	223,488	D
Common Stock	03/30/2015		S	(D) Amount 14,500 (2)	\$ 30.2006 (3)	208,988	D
Common Stock	04/01/2015		M	(A) Amount 4,545 (1)	\$ 0.385	213,533	D
Common Stock	04/01/2015		S	(D) Amount 4,545 (2)	\$ 27.4168 (4)	208,988	D

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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
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.385	03/30/2015		M	14,500	<u>(5)</u> 09/14/2016	Common Stock	14,500
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.385	04/01/2015		M	4,545	<u>(5)</u> 09/14/2016	Common Stock	4,545

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Latham John A 11804 NORTH CREEK PARKWAY SOUTH BOTHELL, WA 98011	Chief Scientific Officer

Signatures

/s/ John A.
Latham 04/01/2015

**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).
- (1) The exercise of options reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on November 24, 2014.

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- (2) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on November 24, 2014.

- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$30.00 to \$30.53, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote 3 to this Form 4.
- (3)

- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$26.955 to \$28.490, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote 4 to this Form 4.
- (4)

- (5) The option is fully vested.

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