

VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Sachdev Amit

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O VERTEX
PHARMACEUTICALS
INCORPORATED, 130 WAVERLY
ST.

(Street)

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS
INC / MA [VRTX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
09/13/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
SVP, Corp Affairs & Pub Policy

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

Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| Common Stock | 09/13/2012 | | M | V | 18,750 A \$ 29.25 | 49,858 | D |
| Common Stock | 09/13/2012 | | M | V | 9,531 A \$ 32.16 | 59,389 | D |
| Common Stock | 09/13/2012 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | D | 19,644 D \$ 55.86 | 39,745 | D |
| Common Stock | 09/13/2012 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | D | 18,637 D \$ 56.5 | 21,108 | D |

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| Stock | | | | | (3) (4) | | | |
|--------------|------------|--|------------------|-------|---------|----------|--------|----------|
| Common Stock | 09/14/2012 | | M | 9,531 | A | \$ 32.16 | 30,639 | D |
| Common Stock | 09/14/2012 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | 9,531 | D | \$ 58 | 21,108 | D |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 662 | I 401(k) |

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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 29.25 | 09/13/2012 | | M | 18,750 | <u>(5)</u> 07/22/2017 | Common Stock | 18,750 |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 32.16 | 09/13/2012 | | M | 9,531 | <u>(5)</u> 07/23/2018 | Common Stock | 9,531 |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 32.16 | 09/14/2012 | | M | 9,531 | <u>(5)</u> 07/23/2018 | Common Stock | 9,531 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Reporting Owners

Director 10% Owner Officer

Other

Sachdev Amit
C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS
INCORPORATED
130 WAVERLY ST.
CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

SVP, Corp Affairs & Pub
Policy

Signatures

Omar White, 09/17/2012
Attorney-In-Fact

__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) Transaction made pursuant to Mr. Sachdev's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.
- (2) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$55.86 (range \$55.25 to \$56.23).
- (3) Mr. Sachdev undertakes to provide (upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer) full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (4) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$56.50 (range \$56.25 to \$57.02).
- (5) Fully vested.

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