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

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup>	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
		(Check all applicable)					
Liawatidewi Yakob	Amphastar Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [						
	AMPH ]	X_ Director10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)	X_Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)					
		EVP CORP ADMIN CENTER					
C/O AMPHASTAR	3/6/2024						
PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 11570							
6TH STREET							
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730		X _ Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)		roum nearby wore than one reporting reison					
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#### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans. Date	(Instr. 8)					(Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D)	Beneficial Ownership
		Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	3/6/2024	F		1,221 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$46.31	79,202	D	
Common Stock							2,459	I I	See footnote (2)

### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivate	2.	3. Trans.	3A. Deemed	4. Trans. C	4. Trans. Code 5. Number of					7. Title and Amount of		8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Security	Conversion	Date	Execution	(Instr. 8)	str. 8) Derivative Securities		and Expiration Date		Securities Underlying		Derivative	derivative	Ownership	of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)	or Exercise		Date, if any	· /	Acquired (A) or		Derivative Security		Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial			
	Price of		-			Disposed of (D)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership		
	Derivative					(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)							Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)
	Security												Following	Direct (D)	
	-							-					Reported	or Indirect	
								Date	Expiration	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s)	(I) (Instr.	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Exercisable	Date	mie	Shares		(Instr. 4)	4)	

### **Explanation of Responses:**

(1) The reported shares were withheld to satisfy the reporting person's tax liability in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units, or RSUs.

(2) The reported shares are held of record by the Yakob and Sunmoon Trust dated July 25, 2013 for which the reporting person serves as a trustee.

# Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships							
		10% Owner	Officer	Other					
Liawatidewi Yakob C/O AMPHASTAR PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.	x		EVP CORP ADMIN CENTER						
11570 6TH STREET RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730									

### Signatures

/s/ Eva Wen, by power of attorney

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

Date

- \* 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).

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