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

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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 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *				2.	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
Liawatidewi	Yakob				mpl MP		r Phari	nac	eutica	als, In	c. [	Director			% Owner	
(Last)	(Firs	t) (Mic	ldle)	3.	Date	of Ea	rliest Trar	ısact	tion (MN	M/DD/YY	YY)	X_ Officer (gi			ther (specif	y below)
C/O AMPH PHARMAC 6TH STREE	EUTICA	ALS, INC	., 11570				5/	/14/	2021							
	(Str	reet)		4.	If Ar	nendn	nent, Date	Ori	ginal Fi	iled (MM	/DD/YYYY)	6. Individual	or Joint/G	roup Filing	(Check Ap	plicable Line)
RANCHO C		ONGA, C		)								_X _ Form filed b		rting Person One Reporting	Person	
		,	Table I - N	lon-De	rivat	ive Se	curities A	Acqu	ıired, E	Disposed	l of, or Be	neficially Own	ed			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Trans	E	2A. Dee Executi Date, if	on	3. Trans. Co (Instr. 8)	de	4. Securi Disposed (Instr. 3,	d of (D)	ired (A) or	5. Amount of Securi Following Reported (Instr. 3 and 4)			6. Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
							Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price				or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock			5/14/2				S		3186	<del></del>	§19.9164 <u>(1)</u>		53573		D	
Common Stock			5/17/2				M		9637	A	\$11.33		63210		D	
Common Stock Common Stock			5/17/2	3021			S		9637	D	§19.9944 <sup>(2)</sup>		2459		D I	See footnote. (3)
	Tal	ble II - Deri	ivative Se	curities	s Ben	eficial	ly Owned	d (e.	g., puts	s, calls,	warrants,	options, conve	rtible sec	urities)		
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans Code (Instr. 8		(A) or (D)		Ex	Date Exer piration I				8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Ownershi Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)		ate ercisable	Expiratio Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	or Indirection (I) (Instr. 4)	
Empoyee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$11.33	5/17/2021		M			9637		<u>(4)</u>	3/17/202	6 Commo Stock	n 9637	\$0	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$19.89 to \$19.93, 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 ranges set forth in footnotes (1) and (2) to this Form 4.
- (2) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$19.98 to \$20.063, inclusive.
- (3) 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.
- (4) Shares subject to the option are fully vested and immediately exercisable.

## **Reporting Owners**

Donastino Orano None / Address		]	Relationships	onships	
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Liawatidewi Yakob C/O AMPHASTAR PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 11570 6TH STREET RANCHO CUCAMONGA, CA 91730			SVP Corp Admin Center		

/s/ Eva Wen, by power of attorney	
**Signature of Reporting Person	

5/18/2021

Date

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

- \* 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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