DAVE KAUSHIK J Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

DAVE KAUSHIK J Issuer Symbol ANTARES PHARMA, INC. [AIS] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 250 PHILLIPS BLVD, SUITE 290 02/10/2012 below) below) **Executive Vice President**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

> _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Person

EWING, NJ 08618

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) any Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 16,887 02/10/2012 A A <u>(2)</u> 192,594 (3) D (1) Stock

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)

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DAVE KAUSHIK J 250 PHILLIPS BLVD SUITE 290 EWING, NJ 08618

Executive Vice President

Signatures

Robert F. Apple as attorney-in-fact for Kaushik J.

Dave 02/13/2012

**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).

Represents grants of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, issued under the Antares Pharma, Inc. 2008 Equity Compensation Plan.

- (1) 25,000 shares were granted as discretionary performance based compensation. 8,113 shares were used to fulfill tax withholding obligations, resulting in a net issuance of 16,887 shares.
- (2) Not applicable
- (3) Represents the total number of shares owned plus all outstanding unearned or unvested shares granted less the number of shares used to fulfill tax withholding obligations when certain shares perviously granted became taxable after they were earned or vested.

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