

HURWITZ EDWARD  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Alta Partners III, Inc.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
TorreyPines Therapeutics, Inc.  
[TPTX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER,  
SUITE 3700,  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/03/2009

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Former 10% owner

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_ 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	09/03/2009		S			72,525	D	\$ 0.2327 (1)	474,603	I	See footnotes (2) (3)
Common Stock	09/03/2009		S			4,871	D	\$ 0.2327 (1)	31,873	I	See footnotes (3) (4)
Common Stock	09/03/2009		S			1,787	D	\$ 0.2327 (1)	12,056	I	See footnotes (3) (5)
Common	09/03/2009		S			166,762	D	\$	1,091,282	I	See

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Stock					0.2327 <u>(1)</u>				footnotes <u>(6) (7)</u>
Common Stock	09/03/2009		S	47,510	D	\$ 0.2327 <u>(1)</u>	310,904	I	See footnotes <u>(7) (8)</u>
Common Stock	09/03/2009		S	2,107	D	\$ 0.2327 <u>(1)</u>	13,786	I	See footnotes <u>(7) (9)</u>
Common Stock	09/08/2009		S	238,256	D	\$ 0.2195 <u>(10)</u>	853,026	I	See footnotes <u>(6) (7)</u>
Common Stock	09/08/2009		S	67,879	D	\$ 0.2195 <u>(10)</u>	243,025	I	See footnotes <u>(7) (8)</u>
Common Stock	09/08/2009		S	3,010	D	\$ 0.2195 <u>(10)</u>	10,776	I	See footnotes <u>(7) (9)</u>
Common Stock	09/08/2009		S	103,618	D	\$ 0.2195 <u>(10)</u>	370,985	I	See footnotes <u>(2) (3)</u>
Common Stock	09/08/2009		S	6,959	D	\$ 0.2195 <u>(10)</u>	24,914	I	See footnotes <u>(3) (4)</u>
Common Stock	09/08/2009		S	2,553	D	\$ 0.2195 <u>(10)</u>	9,143	I	See footnotes <u>(3) (5)</u>

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu... Deriv... Secur... Bene... Own... Follo... Repo... Trans... (Instr...
				Code V	(A) (D)	Title			

Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Amount or Number of Shares
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Alta Partners III, Inc. ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER, SUITE 3700 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111				Former 10% owner
ALTA BIOPHARMA PARTNERS III LP ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER SUITE 3700 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111				No longer 10% owner
ALTA BIOPHARMA MANAGEMENT III LLC ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER, SUITE 3700 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111				No longer 10% owner
ALTA BIOPHARMA PARTNERS III GMBH & CO BETEILIGUNGS KG ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER, SUITE 3700 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111				No longer 10% owner
ALTA EMBARCADERO BIOPHARMA PARTNERS III LLC ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER, SUITE 3700 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111				No longer 10% owner
DELEAGE JEAN ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER SUITE 3700 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111				Not director or 10% owner
CHAMPSI FARAH ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER SUITE 4050 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94132				No longer 10% owner
PENHOET EDWARD ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER SUITE 3700 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111				No longer 10% owner
HURWITZ EDWARD ONE EMBARCADERO CENTER, SUITE 3700 SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111				No longer 10% owner

## Signatures

/s/ Farah Champs, Principal	09/08/2009
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
By: Alta BioPharma Management Partners III, LLC, its General Partner, /s/ Farah Champs, Director	09/08/2009
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Farah Champs, Director	09/08/2009
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
By: Alta BioPharma Management Partners III, LLC, its General Partner, /s/ Farah Champs, Director	09/08/2009
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Farah Champs, Manager	09/08/2009
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Jean Deleage	09/08/2009
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Farah Champs	09/08/2009
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Edward Penhoet	09/08/2009
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Edward Hurwitz	09/08/2009
**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) Price reflected is the weighted-average sale price for shares sold. The range of sale prices for the transactions reported was \$0.23 to \$0.2451 per share. The reporting persons undertake 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.
- (2) These securities are held of record by Alta BioPharma Partners III, L.P. ("ABPIII"). Alta BioPharma Management Partners III, LLC ("ABMPIII") is the General Partner of ABPIII. Jean Deleage, Farah Champs, Edward Penhoet, and Edward Hurwitz are directors of ABMPIII and they exercise shared voting and investment power with respect to the shares owned by ABPIII. Each of the reporting persons disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities, except to the extend of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) Alta Partners III, Inc. ("APIII") provides investment advisor services to ABPIII, Alta BioPharma Partners III GmbH & Co. Beteiligungs KG ("ABPIIIKG"), and Alta Embarcadero BioPharma Partners III, LLC ("AEBPIII"). The respective general partners and members of such funds exercise shared voting and investment power with respect to the shares held by such funds. Certain principals of APIII are also directors of ABMPIII and members of AEBPIII. The principals of APIII disclaim beneficial ownership of all such shares held by the forementioned funds except to the extent of their proportionate pecuniary interests therein.
- (4) These securities are held of record by ABPIIIKG and ABMPIII is the General Partner of ABPIIIKG.
- (5) These securities are held of record by AEBPIII. Jean Deleage, Farah Champs, Edward Penhoet, and Edward Hurwitz are managers and they exercise shared voting and investment power with respect to the shares owned by AEBPIII. Each of the reporting persons disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities, except to the extend of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (6) These securities are held of record by Alta California Partners II, L.P. ("ACPII"). Alta California Management Partners II, LLC ("ACMPII") is the General Partner of ACPII. Jean Deleage, Garrett Gruener, Guy Nohra, and Daniel Janney are managing directors of ACMPII and they exercise shared voting and investment power with respect to the shares owned by ACPII. Each of the reporting persons disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities, except to the extend of his pecuniary interest therein.

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(7) Alta Partners Management Corp. ("AP") provides investment advisor services to ACPII, Alta California Partners II, L.P. - New Pool ("ACPII-NP"), and Alta Embarcadero Partners II, LLC ("AEPII"). The respective general partners and members of such funds exercise shared voting and investment power with respect to the shares held by such funds. Certain principals of AP are also managing directors of ACMPII, Alta California Management Partners II, LLC - New Pool ("ACMPII-NP"), and members of AEPII. The principals of AP disclaim beneficial ownership of all such shares held by the forementioned funds except to the extent of their proportionate pecuniary interests therein.

(8) These securities are held of record by ACPII-NP and ACMPII-NP is the General Partner of ACPII-NP. Jean Deleage, Garrett Gruener, Guy Nohra, and Daniel Janney are managing directors of ACMPII-NP and they exercise shared voting and investment power with respect to the shares owned by ACPII-NP. Each of the reporting persons disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

(9) These securities are held of record by AEPII. Jean Deleage, Garrett Gruener, and Guy Nohra, are managers of AEPII and they exercise shared voting and investment power with respect to the shares owned by AEPII. Each of the reporting persons disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

(10) Price reflected is the weighted-average sale price for shares sold. The range of sale prices for the transactions reported was \$0.20 to \$0.24 per share. The reporting persons undertake 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.

### Remarks:

Cross reference to form 4 filed on behalf of Alta Partners.

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