

Masterson Richard Kevin
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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 *
 Masterson Richard Kevin

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, Inc. [VRX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 4787 LEVY STREET
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 04/12/2012

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Pres. & COO, Valeant Intl. BB

MONTREAL, A8 H4R 2P9

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D) Price		
Common Stock, no par values	04/12/2012		M		5,789 A \$ 0	91,211	D
Common Stock, no par values	04/12/2012		F		1,683 (1) D \$ 0	89,528	D

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 or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
Restricted Share Units	\$ 0	04/12/2012		M ⁽²⁾	5,789 (3)	(4) (4)	Common Stock, no par values	5,789

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Masterson Richard Kevin 4787 LEVY STREET MONTREAL, A8 H4R 2P9			Pres. & COO, Valeant Intl. BB	

Signatures

by: Nicholas Zanoni for Rich Masterson 04/16/2012

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).
- (1) Represents common shares withheld to satisfy certain tax obligations at the time of release.
- (2) The RSUs accelerated vesting on the achievement of TSR hitting the 60% target, allowing for such acceleration.
- (3) Each RSUs represents a contingent right to receive an equal number of common share, no par value, of Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, Inc. ("Valeant"), subject to performance based vesting criteria. See note (4).
- (4) The performance based RSUs are eligible to vest on the achievement of TSR targets ranging from 15% to 45% over a base price on three separate measurement dates.

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