

DUNTON ALAN W  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
DUNTON ALAN W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
PALATIN TECHNOLOGIES INC  
[PTN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
07/17/2012

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

PALATIN TECHNOLOGIES,  
INC., 4B CEDAR BROOK DRIVE

(Street)

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

CRANBURY, NJ 08512

(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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |                                                    |                                | (A) or (D)                                                        | Code V Amount (D) Price                                                             |                                                          |                                                                 |

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 | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 4. Transaction | 5. Number of Derivative | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying |
|------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
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| Security<br>(Instr. 3)               | or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code<br>(Instr. 8) | Securities<br>Acquired (A)<br>or Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) | (Month/Day/Year) | Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                           |                    |                 |                                     |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|
|                                      |                                                   |                         | Code               | V                                                                              | (A)              | (D)                            | Date Exercisable          | Expiration<br>Date | Title           | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |
| stock<br>option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$ 0.72                                           | 07/17/2012              | A                  |                                                                                | 15,000           |                                | 07/31/2012 <sup>(1)</sup> | 07/17/2022         | common<br>stock | 15,000                              |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                            | Relationships |           |         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|                                                                                           | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| DUNTON ALAN W<br>PALATIN TECHNOLOGIES, INC.<br>4B CEDAR BROOK DRIVE<br>CRANBURY, NJ 08512 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Alan W. Dunton, by Stephen A. Slusher,  
Attorney-In-Fact 07/19/2012

\*\*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) The options vest at the rate of 1/12 per month on the last day of each month, starting on July 31, 2012, provided, however, that no options shall become exercisable prior to the Issuance Period End Date, as such term is defined in the securities purchase agreement filed as Exhibit 10.1 to a Current Report on Form 8-K, filed by Palatin Technologies, Inc. with the Securities and Exchange Commission on July 6, 2012.

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