

INTERCEPT PHARMACEUTICALS INC  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
 Fundaro Paolo

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 INTERCEPT  
 PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ICPT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
 08/09/2013

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

C/O INTERCEPT  
 PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 18  
 DESBROSSES STREET

(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

NEW YORK, NY 10013

(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 or Price					
Common Stock	08/09/2013		M		325	A	①	2,628	D	
Common Stock <sup>(4)</sup>	08/12/2013		M		3,461	A	\$	10.1112	6,089	D
Common Stock <sup>(4)</sup>	08/12/2013		S		800	D	\$	45.8868	5,289	D
Common Stock <sup>(4)</sup>	08/12/2013		S		3,959	D	\$	46.1841	1,330	D

(6)

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 (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. Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	08/09/2013		M	325 (2)	(2) (2)	Common Stock	325
Options to Purchase Common Stock (4)	\$ 10.1112	08/12/2013		M	3,461	(3) 03/23/2017	Common Stock	3,461

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Fundaro Paolo  
C/O INTERCEPT PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.  
18 DESBROSSES STREET  
NEW YORK, NY 10013

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## Signatures

/s/ Bryan Yoon, as  
attorney-in-fact

08/13/2013

\*\*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) Conversion of restricted stock units ("RSUs") to shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis.

On November 16, 2012, the reporting person was granted 2,596 RSUs. The RSUs reported as having been disposed and the corresponding shares reported as having been acquired, representing 12.5% of the shares underlying the RSUs, became vested on August 9, 2013, subject to the terms and conditions of the award and the Intercept Pharmaceuticals, Inc. 2012 Equity Incentive Plan (the "2012 Plan"). The remainder of the shares underlying the RSUs will vest pro rata on every subsequent three-month anniversary of such date through August 9, 2014, subject to the terms and conditions of the award and the 2012 Plan.

(3) The shares of common stock underlying this option are fully vested.

(4) The reported transaction was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan adopted by the reporting person on May 28, 2013.

This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$44.99 to \$45.98. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

(6) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$45.995 to \$46.54. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

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