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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

GAY ROBERT C

MERRIMACK

[MACK]

04/03/2012

PHARMACEUTICALS INC

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Officer (give title

Other (specify

10% Owner

C/O MERRIMACK PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., ONE

KENDALL SQUARE, SUITE

(Street)

(State)

B7201

(City)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

ative Securities Assured Disposed of an Boneficially Or

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

(City)	(State) (Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Se	curiti	es Acqu	uired, Disposed of	i, or Beneficiall	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	04/03/2012		C	175,316	A	<u>(1)</u>	175,316	D	
Common Stock	04/03/2012		C	142,857	A	<u>(2)</u>	318,173	D	
Common Stock	04/03/2012		C	175,316	A	(1)	493,489	I	See footnote (3)

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Common	04/03/2012	C	142,857	Α	(2)	636,346	I	footnote
Stock			,			,		(3)

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 tionDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		vative Expiration Date rities (Month/Day/Year) rited (A) or osed of (D)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Series B Convertible Preferred Stock	(1)	04/03/2012		С	113,5	86	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	175,316 (1)
Series D Convertible Preferred Stock	(2)	04/03/2012		C	142,8	57	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	142,857
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Series D Convertible Preferred Stock	(2)	04/03/2012		С	142,8	57	<u>(2)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	142,857

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 6	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GAY ROBERT C C/O MERRIMACK PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. ONE KENDALL SQUARE, SUITE B7201	X						

Reporting Owners 2 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey A. Munsie, attorney-in-fact

04/05/2012

**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) Each share of Series B Convertible Preferred Stock automatically converted into approximately 1.5435 shares of Common Stock upon the closing of the issuer's initial public offering and had no expiration date.
- (2) Each share of Series D Convertible Preferred Stock automatically converted into one share of Common Stock upon the closing of the issuer's initial public offering and had no expiration date.
- (3) These shares are held by the Robert C. Gay 1998 Family Trust, of which Dr. Gay is the grantor. Dr. Gay disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and the inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of any such shares for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.

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