BAUER VICTOR J PHD

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement TITAN PHARMACEUTICALS INC [TTNP:PK] BAUER VICTOR J PHD (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2010 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 400 OYSTER POINT BLVD., (Check all applicable) **SUITE 505** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner _X_ Director Officer _Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person SO. SAN Form filed by More than One FRANCISCO. CAÂ 94080 Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share D 11,144 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
		Title	Security	Direct (D)	

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Option to Purchase Common Stock	08/28/2000	08/28/2010	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 43.625	D	Â
Option to Purchase Common Stock	01/08/2001	01/08/2011	Common Stock	30,000	\$ 22.98	D	Â
Option to Purchase Common Stock	08/09/2001	08/09/2011	Common Stock	33,750	\$ 11.63	D	Â
Option to Purchase Common Stock	01/16/2002	01/16/2012	Common Stock	55,000	\$ 8.77	D	Â
Option to Purchase Common Stock	08/16/2002	08/16/2012	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 1.71	D	Â
Option to Purchase Common Stock	03/01/2003	03/01/2013	Common Stock	25,000	\$ 1.5	D	Â
Option to Purchase Common Stock	09/01/2004	09/01/2014	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 2.37	D	Â
Option to Purchase Common Stock	01/03/2006	01/03/2016	Common Stock	5,000	\$ 1.4	D	Â
Option to Purchase Common Stock	(1)	08/29/2016	Common Stock	20,000	\$ 2.35	D	Â
Option to Purchase Common Stock	05/30/2008	05/30/2018	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 1.52	D	Â
Option to Purchase Common Stock	(2)	05/17/2019	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 0.79	D	Â
Option to Purchase Common Stock	05/17/2009	05/17/2019	Common Stock	100,000	\$ 0.79	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
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BAUER VICTOR J PHD 400 OYSTER POINT BLVD., SUITE 505 SO SAN FRANCISCO Â CAÂ 94080	ÂΧ	Â	Â	Â	

Signatures

/s/ Victor J. Bauer	03/15/2010		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) These options vest in 48 equal monthly installments beginning on August 29, 2006.
- (2) These options vest in 12 equal monthly installments beginning on May 17, 2009.

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