

VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC / MA
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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 *
 Wysenski Nancy

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O VERTEX
 PHARMACEUTICALS
 INCORPORATED, 130 WAVERLY
 ST

(Street)

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS
 INC / MA [VRTX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 05/07/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 EVP, Chief Commercial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 or Price		
Common Stock	05/07/2012		M		6,797 A \$ 33.82	43,191	D
Common Stock	05/07/2012		M		12,500 A \$ 39.7	55,691	D
Common Stock	05/07/2012		M		120,000 A \$ 39.7	175,691	D
Common Stock	05/07/2012		M		3,398 A \$ 38.8	179,089	D

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Common Stock	05/07/2012	S ⁽¹⁾	147,695	D	\$ 54.5	31,394	D
Common Stock	05/08/2012	M	9,063	A	\$ 33.82	40,457	D
Common Stock	05/08/2012	M	10,196	A	\$ 38.8	50,653	D
Common Stock	05/08/2012	M	18,750	A	\$ 39.7	69,403	D
Common Stock	05/08/2012	S ⁽¹⁾	9,063	D	\$ 59.19	60,340	D
Common Stock	05/08/2012	S ⁽¹⁾	10,196	D	\$ 62.08	50,144	D
Common Stock	05/08/2012	S ⁽¹⁾	18,750	D	\$ 63.52	31,394	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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount of Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 33.82	05/07/2012		M	6,797	10/14/2010 07/13/2020	Common Stock 6,897
Stock Option	\$ 39.7	05/07/2012		M	12,500	03/09/2010 12/08/2019	Common Stock 12,500
Stock Option	\$ 39.7	05/07/2012		M	120,000	05/23/2011 12/08/2019	Common Stock 120,000
Stock Option	\$ 38.8	05/07/2012		M	3,398	05/03/2011 02/02/2021	Common Stock 3,398
Stock Option	\$ 33.82	05/08/2012		M	9,063	10/14/2010 07/13/2020	Common Stock 9,063
Stock Option	\$ 38.8	05/08/2012		M	10,196	05/03/2011 02/02/2021	Common Stock 10,196

Stock Option	\$ 39.7	05/08/2012	M	18,750	03/09/2010	12/08/2019	Common Stock	18,750
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Wysenski Nancy C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INCORPORATED 130 WAVERLY ST CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139			EVP, Chief Commercial Officer	

Signatures

David T. Howton, Attorney-In-Fact	05/09/2011
<small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small>	<small>Date</small>

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) Transaction made pursuant to Ms. Wysenski's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.

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