

Westphal Christoph H  
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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 \*  
 Westphal Christoph H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 Verastem, Inc. [VSTM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O VERASTEM, INC., 215 FIRST STREET, SUITE 440

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/21/2012

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

President and C.E.O.

(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  
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CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

(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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Price   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 12/21/2012                           |  | L <sup>(1)</sup>               | V   | \$ 8.72   | 709,569  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/21/2012                           |  | L <sup>(1)</sup>               |   | \$ 8.77   | 709,693  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/21/2012                           |  | L <sup>(1)</sup>               |   | \$ 8.79   | 709,793  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/21/2012                           |  | L <sup>(1)</sup>               |   | \$ 8.87   | 709,993  | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 12/21/2012                           |  | L <sup>(1)</sup>               |   | \$ 8.91   | 710,469  | D                                 |

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|              |            |                  |     |   |                   |           |   |   |
|--------------|------------|------------------|-----|---|-------------------|-----------|---|---|
| Common Stock | 01/02/2013 | P <sup>(1)</sup> | 800 | A | \$<br>9.73<br>(2) | 711,269   | D |   |
| Common Stock |            |                  |     |   |                   | 2,869,841 | I | By Longwood Fund, L.P.<br>(3)             |
| Common Stock |            |                  |     |   |                   | 125,714   | I | By the Fountain Irrevocable Trust of 2010 |

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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title                                      | Amount or Number of Shares                                       |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                      |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer              | Other |
| Westphal Christoph H<br>C/O VERASTEM, INC.<br>215 FIRST STREET, SUITE 440<br>CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142 | X             | X         | President and C.E.O. |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Paul Brannelly,  
attorney-in-fact

01/03/2013

\_\_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) The purchases reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted on November 20, 2012.
- Represents a weighted-average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$9.615 to \$10.00, inclusive. For all transactions reported in this Form 4 utilizing a weighted-average price, the reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote 2 to this Form 4.
- (2)
- Longwood Fund GP, LLC is the sole General Partner of Longwood Fund, L.P. Christoph Westphal, M.D., Ph.D., Richard Aldrich and Michelle Dipp, M.D., Ph.D. (collectively, the "Managers") are managers of Longwood Fund GP, LLC, and, as such, may be deemed to have shared voting and dispositive power with respect to the issuer's securities held by Longwood Fund L.P. (the "Longwood Shares").
- (3) Each of the Managers disclaims beneficial ownership of the Longwood Shares, except to the extent of their respective pecuniary interest therein, and the inclusion of the Longwood Shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of the Longwood Shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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