

WEISER MICHAEL
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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
WEISER MICHAEL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ZIOPHARM ONCOLOGY INC
[ZIOP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/31/2010

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

C/O ZIOPHARM ONCOLOGY, INC., 1180 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS, SUTIE 1920

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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NEW YORK, NY 10036

(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)
Common Stock, \$.001 par value	03/31/2010		A ⁽¹⁾	15,000 A	\$ 0 150,945 ⁽²⁾	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 or Number of Shares
Warrants to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 4.75					09/13/2005 05/31/2012	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value 35,566
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.31					07/20/2007 12/22/2014	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value 15,029
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.01					04/26/2006 04/26/2016	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value 15,000
Warrants to purchase Common Stock	\$ 5.09					05/03/2006 05/03/2013	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value 18,319
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.49					12/13/2009 12/13/2016	Common Stock, \$0.001 par value 15,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 4.85					(3) 06/18/2017	Common Stock 15,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.73					(4) 12/12/2017	Common Stock 20,000
	\$ 0.7					(5) 05/13/2019	15,000

