

PATRICK GREGORY S  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
PATRICK GREGORY S

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O SUPERNUS  
PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 1550  
EAST GUDE DRIVE

(Street)

ROCKVILLE, MD 20850

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
SUPERNUS  
PHARMACEUTICALS INC  
[SUPN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/14/2013

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)  
VP, Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	03/14/2013		P		5,000 <u>(1)</u>	A	\$ 6.9474 <u>(2)</u>
					8,903	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)	8. F...	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.9					<u>(3)</u>	02/05/2023	Common Stock	70,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.88					<u>(4)</u>	12/30/2021	Common Stock	105,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
PATRICK GREGORY S C/O SUPERNUS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 1550 EAST GUDE DRIVE ROCKVILLE, MD 20850			VP, Chief Financial Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ Gregory S. Patrick 03/15/2013

\*\*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 reported purchase was made pursuant to a pre-arranged program for buying stock adopted on December 27, 2012, pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
- (2) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$6.85 to \$6.99, inclusive. The reporting person has provided to the issuer, and undertakes to provide to the staff of the Securities and

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Exchange Commission or any security holder of the issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the range.

- (3) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on February 5, 2014.
- (4) 25% of the shares subject to the option vested on 12/30/12, and the remaining shares subject to the option will vest in approximately equal quarterly installments over the following three years.

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