

MEDICINES CO /DE

Form 4

October 29, 2004

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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Section 16.  
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See Instruction  
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**MEANWELL CLIVE**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**THE MEDICINES CO, 8 CAMPUS  
DRIVE**

(Street)

**PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**MEDICINES CO /DE [MDCO]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**10/27/2004**

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)

Chief Executive 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	10/27/2004		M		1,900	A	\$ 0.69
Common Stock	10/27/2004		M		18,100	A	\$ 1.23
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	10/27/2004		S		10,000	D	\$ 26.5
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	10/27/2004		S		7,300	D	\$ 26.98
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	10/27/2004		S		2,700	D	\$ 26.97

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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
Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.69	10/27/2004		M	1,900	10/27/2004 <sup>(2)</sup> 02/09/2008	Common Stock 1,900
Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.23	10/27/2004		M	18,100	10/27/2004 <sup>(3)</sup> 12/15/2008	Common Stock 18,100

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
MEANWELL CLIVE THE MEDICINES CO 8 CAMPUS DRIVE PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054	X Chief Executive Officer

## Signatures

/s/ Clive A.  
Meanwell 10/29/2004

\_\_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 common stock sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 program adopted by Dr. Meanwell on September 15, 2004.

(2)

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As of 10/27/2004, the original grant (21,900 shares granted on 2/9/1998) was fully vested. After the exercise of the options reported hereby, as of 10/27/2004, all of the shares covered by this option were exercised.

- (3) As of 10/27/2004, the original grant (18,980 shares granted 12/15/1998) was fully vested. After the exercise of the options reported hereby, as of 10/27/2004, 880 of the shares covered by this option were vested but not exercised.

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