ANTARES PHARMA, INC.

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * APPLE ROBERT F			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ANTARES PHARMA, INC. [ATRS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
C/O ANTARI INC., 100 PR SUITE 300			(Month/Day/Year) 04/04/2017	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & CEO		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
EWING, NJ 08628			Filed(Month/Day/Year)			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	Transactionor Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	04/04/2017		M(1)	37,000	A	\$ 1.65	927,002	D	
Common Stock	04/04/2017		S <u>(1)</u>	37,000	D	\$ 3.0019	890,002	D	
Common Stock	04/05/2017		M(1)	3,000	A	\$ 1.65	893,002	D	
Common Stock	04/05/2017		S <u>(1)</u>	3,000	D	\$ 3	890,002	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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.65	04/04/2017		M <u>(1)</u>	37,000	(2)	05/10/2017	Common Stock	37,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.65	04/05/2017		M <u>(1)</u>	3,000	(2)	05/10/2017	Common Stock	3,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 5	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
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APPLE ROBERT F C/O ANTARES PHARMA, INC. 100 PRINCETON SOUTH, SUITE 300 EWING, NJ 08628

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President & CEO

Signatures

/s/Keith Muckenhirn as attorney-in-fact for Robert F. Apple

04/05/2017

**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 stock option exercise and sale of common stock reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan. The exercised stock option reported on this Form 4 was due to expire on May 10, 2017.

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(2) The options vested and became exercisable in equal quarterly installments over three years following the grant date of May 10, 2007. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, <i>see</i> Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.