

KISHBAUCH MICHAEL D
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FORM 4

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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 *
KISHBAUCH MICHAEL D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ACHILLION
PHARMACEUTICALS, 300
GEORGE STREET

(Street)

NEW HAVEN, CT 06511

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ACHILLION
PHARMACEUTICALS INC
[ACHN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/13/2012

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)
CEO and President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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	01/13/2012		M		81,309	A	\$ 1.6
Common Stock	01/13/2012		M		116,997	A	\$ 4
Common Stock	01/13/2012		S		198,306	D	\$ 12.6335
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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 Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.6	01/13/2012		M	81,309	<u>(1)</u> 07/20/2014	Common Stock 81,309
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4	01/13/2012		M	116,997	<u>(2)</u> 12/20/2015	Common Stock 116,997

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KISHBAUCH MICHAEL D C/O ACHILLION PHARMACEUTICALS 300 GEORGE STREET NEW HAVEN, CT 06511	X		CEO and President	

Signatures

/s/ Michael Kishbauch 01/13/2012

**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) This option was granted on July 20, 2004 and vested over a four year period with 25% of the shares vesting on the first anniversary of the date of grant and an additional 6.25% vesting at the end of each three-month period thereafter.

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- (2) This option was granted on December 20, 2005 and vested over a four year period with 25% of the shares vesting on the first anniversary of the date of grant and an additional 6.25% vesting at the end of each three-month period thereafter.

The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The actual sale prices for these transactions ranged from \$12.50 to \$12.88. The

- (3) reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.

Remarks:

The transactions reported on this Form 4 were executed pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by Mr. Kishbauch on J

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