

THEEUWES FELIX
Form 4
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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 *
THEEUWES FELIX

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
DURECT CORP [DRRX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
10260 BUBB ROAD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/03/2012

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

CUPERTINO, CA 95014

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.78	02/03/2012		A			40,626		05/03/2012 ⁽¹⁾	02/03/2022	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.78	02/03/2012		A			240,385		05/03/2012 ⁽²⁾	02/03/2022	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.78	02/03/2012		A			89,374		05/03/2012 ⁽¹⁾	02/03/2022	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
THEEUWES FELIX 10260 BUBB ROAD CUPERTINO, CA 95014	X		Chairman and CSO	

Signatures

Felix Theeuwes 02/07/2012

__Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) ISO/NQ Grants Dated February 3, 2012 combined will vest as follows: one-sixteenth (1/16) of the total shares subject to the option shall vest quarterly over four (4) years following the date of grant.

(2) ISO/NQ Grants Dated February 3, 2012 combined will vest as follows: one-fourth (1/4) of the total shares subject to the option shall vest quarterly over one (1) year following the date of grant.

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