

MANHATTAN PHARMACEUTICALS INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 ROSENWALD LINDSAY A MD

(Last) (First) (Middle)

787 SEVENTH AVENUE, 48TH FLOOR

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10019

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 MANHATTAN PHARMACEUTICALS INC [MHTT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 03/17/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___X___ 10% Owner
 ___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 X 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| Common Stock | | | | (A) or (D) | 831,213 | I | Owned by certain trusts for the benefit of the Reporting Person ⁽¹⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | (A) or (D) | 80 | I | Owned by Spouse. |
| Common Stock | | | | (A) or (D) | 38 | I | Owned by June Street |

| | | | | | | | Company ⁽²⁾ |
|--------------|------------|--|---|-------|----|--------|---|
| Common Stock | | | | | 38 | I | Owned by Huntington Street Company ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | 33 | I | Owned by the Reporting Person's children ⁽³⁾ |
| Common Stock | 03/17/2005 | | P | 5,000 | A | \$ 1.6 | 2,537,121 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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 6) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|--|----------------------------------|
| | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| ROSENWALD LINDSAY A MD 787 SEVENTH AVENUE 48TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019 | X |

Signatures

/s/ Lindsay A.
Rosenwald, M.D.

03/18/2005

__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).

- Shares owned by three trusts for the benefit of the Reporting Person; however, Lester Lipshultz, and not the Reporting Person, has voting and dispositive control over the shares owned by these three trusts. Accordingly, the Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, except as to any pecuniary interest therein.
- (1) and dispositive control over the shares owned by these three trusts. Accordingly, the Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, except as to any pecuniary interest therein.
 - (2) A corporation of which the Reporting Person is the sole shareholder.

- Does not include 2,913,058 shares of common stock and 25,524 shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock (which is convertible into 232,036 shares of Common Stock), which are owned by certain trusts for the benefit of the Reporting Person's children. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, except to any pecuniary interest therein. The shares owned by the trusts are reported on a separate Form 4, prepared by the trustee/investment manager.
- (3) Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, except to any pecuniary interest therein. The shares owned by the trusts are reported on a separate Form 4, prepared by the trustee/investment manager.

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