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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 *
APPLE ROBERT F

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ANTARES PHARMA,
INC., 100 PRINCETON SOUTH,
SUITE 300

(Street)

EWING, NJ 08628

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ANTARES PHARMA, INC. [ATRS]

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

05/22/2013

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)
Executive Vice President & CFO

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount (A) or Price (D) | | |
| Common Stock | 05/22/2013 | | A | | 33,670 <u>(1)</u> | A | <u>(2)</u> 335,248 D |
| Common Stock | 05/22/2013 | | A | | 33,670 <u>(3)</u> | A | <u>(2)</u> 368,918 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. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock option (right to buy) | \$ 3.96 | 05/22/2013 | | A | 59,524 (4) | (5) 05/21/2023 | Common Stock | 59,524 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

APPLE ROBERT F
C/O ANTARES PHARMA, INC.
100 PRINCETON SOUTH, SUITE 300
EWING, NJ 08628

Executive Vice President & CFO

Signatures

Robert F. Apple 05/24/2013

**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) Represents the target number of shares Mr. Apple may receive pursuant to the terms of the performance stock unit award made to Mr. Apple under the 2008 Equity Compensation Plan if certain performance goals are attained over the performance period specified in the award agreement evidencing the performance stock unit award and Mr. Apple continues in employment with the Company through that period.
- (2) Not applicable
- (3) Represents grant of shares of restricted Common Stock issued under the 2008 Equity Compensation Plan. The shares vest in three equal annual installments.
- (4) Represents grant of options to purchase shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, issued under the Antares Pharma, Inc. 2008 Equity Compensation Plan.
- (5) The options vest in equal quarterly installments over three years.

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