#### MEHTA DILIP J MD PHD

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

See Instruction 1(b).

obligations

may continue.

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

MEHTA DILIP J MD PHD

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Symbol **SPECTRUM** 

PHARMACEUTICALS INC [SPPI]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)

12/06/2005

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

IRVINE, CA 92618

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities 3. TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

Code V Amount

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price

Common

Stock \$.001 12/06/2005

A 5,000 Α \$0 5,000

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

D

par value (1)

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)

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (Right to	\$ 4.26	12/06/2005		A	15,000	01/01/2006(2)	12/06/2015	Common Stock	15,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships					
Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
X					
Ι		Director 10% Owner	Director 10% Owner Officer		

# **Signatures**

Buy)

/s/ Shyam
Kumaria

\*\*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) Shares were acquired pursuant to a restricted stock grant. 25% of the shares vest on January 1, 2006. The remaining shares vest in equal 25% increments every twelve months on the first of January 2007, 2008 and 2009.
- (2) 25% of the shares on January 1, 2006. The remaining shares vest in equal 25% increments every twelve months on the first of January 2007, 2008 and 2009.

#### **Remarks:**

Shyam Kumaria on behalf of Dilip Metha by Power of Attorney.

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