

Esperion Therapeutics, Inc.
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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 *
GOLDSTEIN DOV A MD

(Last) (First) (Middle)

888 7TH AVENUE, 30TH FLOOR

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10106

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Esperion Therapeutics, Inc. [ESPR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
07/01/2013

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)

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)
Common Stock	07/01/2013		C	1,816,475 A	1,816,475	I	By Aisling Capital II, LP ⁽²⁾
Common Stock	07/01/2013		P	238,119 A \$ 14	2,054,594	I	By Aisling Capital II, LP ⁽²⁾

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	
Series A Preferred Stock	(1)	07/01/2013		C	1,816,475	(1)	(1)	Common Stock
Warrant to Purchase Preferred Stock	\$ 1 (3)	07/01/2013		J	497,666 (3)	(4)	02/12/2018	Series A Preferred Stock
Warrant to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 6.99 (3)	07/01/2013		J	71,237 (3)	(4)	02/12/2018	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GOLDSTEIN DOV A MD 888 7TH AVENUE 30TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10106		X		

Signatures

/s/ Richard B. Bartram, by power of attorney
Date: 07/01/2013

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) The Series A Preferred Stock was automatically converted into Common Stock on a 6.986-for-1 basis upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering without payment of further consideration and had no expiration date.

The reportable securities are owned directly by Aisling Capital II, LP ("Aisling"), and held indirectly by Aisling Capital Partners, LP ("Aisling GP"), as general partner of Aisling, and Aisling Capital Partners, LLC ("Aisling Partners"), as general partner of Aisling GP.

- (2) Dr. Goldstein is a member of the investment committee of Aisling. Dr. Goldstein disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities and this report is not an admission that he is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

Upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering, this warrant to purchase shares of Series A Preferred Stock automatically converted on a 6.986-for-1 basis into a warrant to purchase shares of Common Stock, and the exercise price automatically adjusted

- (3) accordingly. The transaction is listed solely for the purpose of reporting the change in the shares underlying the warrant and the change in exercise price.

- (4) The warrant is immediately exercisable.

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