Hanson Jason David Form 4 May 17, 2011

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Name and Address of Reporting     Hanson Jason David	Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
		MEDICIS PHARMACEUTICAL CORP [MRX]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (7720 N. DOBSON RD.	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/13/2011	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
7720 IV. DODSON KD.		03/13/2011	EVP,COO			
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85256		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State)	(Zin)					

(City)	(State)	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securit	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ies Ac	quired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if		Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)	any		Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5)	Beneficially	(D) or Beneficia		
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/13/2011		S	27,607	D	\$ 36.5	244,979	D	

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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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)			ate	7. Title Amoun Under	int of lying ities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene
	Derivative Security				Securities Acquired			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Owne Follo
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					of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr
					4, and 3)				Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hanson Jason David 7720 N. DOBSON RD. SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85256

EVP,COO

# **Signatures**

Jason D. Hanson 05/17/2011

\*\*Signature of 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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