NovaBay Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

McPherson T. Alex

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

[NBY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

NovaBay Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 01/04/2016

(Check all applicable)

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O NOVABAY

PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 5980 **HORTON STREET, SUITE 550**

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

EMERYVILLE, CA 94608

(City) (State)

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)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

Reported

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
Common Stock (right to	\$ 2.02	01/04/2016		A	22,719	01/04/2016(2)	01/04/2026	Common Stock	22,71

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
F	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
McPherson T. Alex						
C/O NOVABAY PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.	X					
5980 HORTON STREET, SUITE 550	Λ					

Signatures

EMERYVILLE, CA 94608

buy) (1)

/s/ Justin Hall as attorney in fact for Alex **McPherson**

01/06/2016

**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) Granted pursuant to the 2007 Omnibus Incentive Plan and the 2016 Non-Employee Director Compensation Plan
- (2) Stock options will vest in equal monthly installments over one year starting from the date of grant
- On December 18, 2015, the common stock of NovaBay Pharmaceuticals reverse split 1-for-25, and is reflected accordingly in both the number of underlying option shares and exercise price of the award.

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