FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     McClements William M.							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  MERRIMACK PHARMACEUTICALS  INC [ MACK ]								all app	olicable)		ssuer Owner (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MERRIMACK PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. ONE KENDALL SQUARE, SUITE B7201						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/11/2013								Λ	X Unificer (give title Unifier (specify below)  SVP of Corporate Operations				
(Street)  CAMBRIDGE MA 02139  (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indivi Line) X	•				
		Tabl	e I - N	on-Deriv	/ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quire	d, Di	sposed o	f, or E	Benefic	ially (	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)				and 5) Secur Bene		ficially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
										v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock	2013	)13		P		1,500	A	\$4.05	4.0523(1)		10,500	D						
Common Stock 12/12/20							013		P		2,500	A	\$4.39	)23 <sup>(2)</sup>	1	13,000	D		
		Та	ble II -								osed of, convertib				vned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	erivative Conversion Date Execu ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			med on Date, Day/Year)  Code (Inst		instr.	5. Nu of Deriv Secul Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instrand 5	ative rities ired osed	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. : and 4)  Amount or Number of Title Shares		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of derivative Securities Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$4.0299 to \$4.0793, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer or the Staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within such range.
- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$4.2899 to \$4.4567, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer or the Staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within such range.

/s/ Jeffrey A. Munsie, attorneyin-fact 12/13/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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).

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