

ASELAGE STEVE  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
ASELAGE STEVE

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC [BMRN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
EVP, Chief Business Officer

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
C/O BIOMARIN  
PHARMACEUTICAL INC., 105  
DIGITAL DRIVE  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
05/11/2012

NOVATO, CA 94949  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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)	(A) or (D)	5. Amount or Price	6. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/11/2012	05/11/2012	M	16,875	A	\$ 14.39	80,560	D
Common Stock	05/11/2012	05/11/2012	S	16,875	D	\$ 37.9802	63,685	D
Common Stock	05/11/2012	05/11/2012	M	4,655	A	\$ 17.54	68,340	D
Common Stock	05/11/2012	05/11/2012	S	4,655	D	\$ 37.9802	63,685	D
	05/11/2012	05/11/2012	S	4,630	D		59,030	D

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Common Stock \$ 37.07  
(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)

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.39	05/11/2012	05/11/2012	M	16,875	11/12/2009 <sup>(2)</sup>	05/11/2019	Common Stock	16,875
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.54	05/11/2012	05/11/2012	M	4,655	05/20/2007 <sup>(3)</sup>	11/20/2016	Common Stock	4,655

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ASELAGE STEVE  
 C/O BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC.  
 105 DIGITAL DRIVE  
 NOVATO, CA 94949

EVP, Chief Business Officer

## Signatures

/s/ Laura Randall Woodhead,  
 Attorney-in-Fact

05/15/2012

\*\*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).

The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The prices actually received ranged from \$37.045 to \$38.14. The reporting person will

(1) provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.

(2) Original option vests 6/48ths on November 12, 2009 and 1/48th on the 12th of every month thereafter.

(3) Original option vests 6/48ths on May 20, 2007 and 1/48th on the 20th of every month thereafter.

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