CATALYST PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

Form 4

October 23, 2015

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SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Winship M Douglas

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CATALYST

PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

[CPRX]

(Last)

(First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

VP, Regulatory Operations

(City)

(Middle)

(Zip)

10/23/2015

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

355 ALHAMBRA CIRCLE, SUITE 1250

(Street)

(State)

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

CORAL GABLES, FL 33134

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

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

(A)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

Code V Amount (D) Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common

share

stock, par value 10/23/2015 \$0.001 per

22,800 S

D 74,131 3.34

Price

D

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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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Winship M Douglas 355 ALHAMBRA CIRCLE, SUITE 1250 CORAL GABLES, FL 33134

VP, Regulatory Operations

Signatures

/s/ M. Douglas Winship 10/23/2015

**Signature of Reporting Date
Person

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) Shares were sold principally for the purpose of funding the exercise of stock options that will expire in November 2015. The exercise of the stock options using the proceeds of this sale will be reported in a separate Form 4.

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