

Onconova Therapeutics, Inc.
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Maniar Manoj
 (Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ONCONOVA THERAPEUTICS, INC., 375 PHEASANT RUN
 (Street)

NEWTOWN, PA 18940
 (City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)
 04/27/2015

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Onconova Therapeutics, Inc. [ONTX]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer Other
 (give title below) (specify below)
 SVP - Product Development

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

Date Exercisable Expiration Date

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

Title Amount or Number of

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

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				Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Option (right to buy)	08/01/2007	08/01/2017	Common Stock	11,252	\$ 6	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	03/17/2010	03/17/2020	Common Stock	37,509	\$ 5.76	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	03/17/2010	03/17/2020	Common Stock	18,754	\$ 5.76	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	12/10/2010	12/10/2020	Common Stock	7,501	\$ 6.13	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	12/10/2010	12/10/2020	Common Stock	18,754	\$ 6.13	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	12/05/2011	12/05/2021	Common Stock	3,780	\$ 6.13	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	Â <u>(1)</u>	12/18/2022	Common Stock	30,007	\$ 13.28	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	Â <u>(2)</u>	07/25/2023	Common Stock	5,000	\$ 15	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	Â <u>(3)</u>	12/20/2023	Common Stock	40,000	\$ 13.48	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	Â <u>(4)</u>	12/18/2024	Common Stock	60,000	\$ 3.98	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	Â <u>(5)</u>	04/16/2025	Common Stock	40,000	\$ 2.32	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Maniar Manoj C/O ONCONOVA THERAPEUTICS, INC. 375 PHEASANT RUN NEWTOWN, PA 18940	Â	Â	Â SVP - Product Development	Â

Signatures

/s/ Ajay Bansal, as attorney
in fact

05/21/2015

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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- (1) This option, representing a right to buy, vests over 4 years, with 25% vesting on December 18, 2013 and 75% vesting in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter, subject to continued service to the issuer.
- (2) This option, representing a right to buy, vests over 4 years, with 25% vesting on July 25, 2014 and 75% vesting in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter, subject to continued service to the issuer.
- (3) This option, representing a right to buy, vests in 48 equal monthly installments over 4 years. The first shares vest one month after the date of grant, which was December 20, 2013.
- (4) This option, representing a right to buy, vests in 48 equal monthly installments over 4 years. The first shares vest one month after the date of grant, which was December 18, 2014.
- (5) This option, representing a right to buy, vests in 48 equal monthly installments over 4 years. The first shares vest one month after the date of grant, which was April 16, 2015.

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Remarks:

ExhibitÂ 24Â attached.

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