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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Elgin Ernest III

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

NEPHROS INC [NEP]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(Instr. 3)

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

Director 10% Owner

C/O NEPHROS, INC., 41 GRAND

01/06/2009

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

AVENUE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

President and CEO 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

RIVER EDGE, NJ US 07661

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

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

5. Amount of 6. Ownership Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned (T) Following (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

(A) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Transaction**Derivative **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Security or Exercise any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired or Dispos (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of				
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.13	01/06/2009		A	75,000		<u>(1)</u>	01/06/2019	Common Stock	75,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.37						(2)	09/15/2018	Common Stock	750,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Addre	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Elgin Ernest III C/O NEPHROS, INC. 41 GRAND AVENUE RIVER EDGE, NJ US 07661

President and CEO

Signatures

/s/ Ernest A. 01/08/2009 Elgin, III

**Signature of Date
Reporting 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) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on January 6, 2010.
- (2) The option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on September 15, 2009.

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