ACELRX PHARMACEUTICALS INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WAN MARK A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol ACELRX PHARMACEUTICALS

(Check all applicable)

INC [ACRX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director

_X__ 10% Owner _ Other (specify

3200 ALPINE ROAD

(Street)

(First)

(Month/Day/Year)

below)

Officer (give title

03/07/2014

(Middle)

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

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

PORTOLA VALLEY, CA 94028

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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 or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	03/07/2014		S	46,661	D	\$ 12.3882 (5)	3,658,051	I	See footnote (1)	
Common Stock	03/07/2014		S	12,186	D	\$ 11.96 (6)	3,645,865	I	See footnote (1)	
Common Stock	03/10/2014		S	298,508	D	\$ 12.36	3,347,357	I	See footnote (1)	
Common Stock	03/07/2014		S	2,508	D	\$ 12.3882	196,666	I	See footnote	

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Common Stock	03/07/2014	S	655	D	\$ 11.96 (6)	196,011	I	See footnote
Common Stock	03/10/2014	S	16,049	D	\$ 12.36	179,962	I	See footnote
Common Stock	03/07/2014	S	79,645	D	\$ 12.3882 (5)	6,243,889	I	See footnote (3)
Common Stock	03/07/2014	S	20,800	D	\$ 11.96 (6)	6,223,089	I	See footnote
Common Stock	03/10/2014	S	509,520	D	\$ 12.36	5,713,569	I	See footnote (3)
Common Stock	03/07/2014	S	1,759	D	\$ 12.3882 (5)	137,862	I	See footnote (4)
Common Stock	03/07/2014	S	459	D	\$ 11.96 (6)	137,403	I	See footnote (4)
Common Stock	03/10/2014	S	11,250	D	\$ 12.36	126,153	I	See footnote

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	S	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or		

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Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WAN MARK A
3200 ALPINE ROAD X X
PORTOLA VALLEY, CA 94028

Signatures

/s/ Mark A. Wan 03/11/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person

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* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

Date

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- The shares are owned directly by Three Arch Partners III, L.P. ("TAP III"). Three Arch Management III, L.L.C. ("TAM III"), the general partner of TAP III, has sole voting and dispositive power with respect to the securities held by TAP III. Mark A. Wan and Wilfred Jaeger, the managing members of TAM III, share the voting and dispositive power with respect to the shares held by TAP III. Such persons and entities disclaim beneficial ownership of the shares held by TAP III except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.
- The shares are owned directly by Three Arch Associates III, L.P. ("TAA III"). TAM III, the general partner of TAA III, has sole voting and dispositive power with respect to the securities held by TAA III. Mark A. Wan and Wilfred Jaeger, the managing members of TAM III, share the voting and dispositive power with respect to the shares held by TAA III. Such persons and entities disclaim beneficial ownership of the shares held by TAA III except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.
- The shares are owned directly by Three Arch Partners IV, L.P. ("TAP IV"). Three Arch Management IV, L.L.C. ("TAM IV"), the general partner of TAP IV, has sole voting and dispositive power with respect to the securities held by TAP IV. Mark A. Wan and Wilfred Jaeger, the managing members of TAM IV, share the voting and dispositive power with respect to the shares held by TAP IV. Such persons and entities disclaim beneficial ownership of the shares held by TAP IV except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.
- The shares are owned directly by Three Arch Associates IV, L.P. ("TAA IV"). TAM IV, the general partner of TAA IV, has sole voting and dispositive power with respect to the securities held by TAA IV. Mark A. Wan and Wilfred Jaeger, the managing members of TAM IV, share the voting and dispositive power with respect to the shares held by TAA IV. Such persons and entities disclaim beneficial ownership of the shares held by TAA IV except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$12.07 to \$13.05, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide 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 sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$11.90 to \$12.01, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide 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 sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

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