

GEMAYEL GEORGES
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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 *
GEMAYEL GEORGES

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ALTUS
 PHARMACEUTICALS INC., 333
 WYMAN STREET

(Street)

WALTHAM, MA 02451

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Altus Pharmaceuticals Inc. [ALTU]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/19/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.07	02/19/2009	D/K	440,000 (1)	(2)	06/02/2018	common stock	440,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.19	02/19/2009	A/K	440,000 (1)	(3)	06/02/2018	common stock	440,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GEMAYEL GEORGES C/O ALTUS PHARMACEUTICALS INC. 333 WYMAN STREET WALTHAM, MA 02451	X		President & CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Kevin Brennan 02/23/2009

__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).
- (1) Effective February 19, 2009. The Compensation Committee of Altus Pharmaceuticals Inc. approved a change in certain terms of certain options originally granted to Dr. Gemayel on June 2, 2008 in connection with the realignment plan announced on January 26, 2009. All of such options have a term of ten years vesting over four years. The first 25 percent of all such options will vest quarterly on the first anniversary of Dr. Gemayel's employment with the issuer, and the remaining 75 percent will vest quarterly over the following three years, subject to continued employment or service through each relevant vesting date. All of such options become exercisable as they vest.
- (2) All of such options have a term of ten years vesting over four years. The first 25 percent of all such options will vest quarterly on the first anniversary of Dr. Gemayel's employment with the issuer, and the remaining 75 percent will vest quarterly over the following three years, subject to continued employment or service through each relevant vesting date. All of such options become exercisable as they vest.
- (3) All of such options have a term of ten years vesting over four years, with 1/16th of the options vesting every three months. Vesting commences on February 19, 2009. All of such options become exercisable as they vest.

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