

Stamoulis Christiana  
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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 \*  
Stamoulis Christiana

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS  
INC / MA [VRTX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
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(Last) (First) (Middle)  
C/O VERTEX  
PHARMACEUTICALS  
INCORPORATED, 130 WAVERLY  
ST.

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
04/29/2013

(Street)  
CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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 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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	04/29/2013		M		65,624	A	\$ 34.57
Common Stock	04/29/2013		M		12,375	A	\$ 33.82
Common Stock	04/29/2013		S <sup>(1)</sup>		25,302	D	\$ 79.08 (2) (3)
Common	04/29/2013		S <sup>(1)</sup>		57,697	D	\$ 40,712

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Stock						79.69			
						(3) (4)			
Common Stock	04/30/2013		M	1	A	\$ 34.57	40,713		D
Common Stock	04/30/2013		S <sup>(1)</sup>	1	D	\$ 77.88	40,712		D
Common Stock							797		I 401(k)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.57	04/29/2013		M	65,624	<sup>(5)</sup> 10/04/2019	Common Stock	65,624
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 33.82	04/29/2013		M	12,375	<sup>(6)</sup> 07/13/2020	Common Stock	12,375
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.57	04/30/2013		M	1	<sup>(5)</sup> 10/04/2019	Common Stock	1

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Stamoulis Christiana  
C/O VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS  
INCORPORATED  
130 WAVERLY ST.  
CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

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## Signatures

Kenneth L. Horton,  
Attorney-In-Fact

05/01/2013

\_\_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) Transaction made pursuant to Ms. Stamoulis's company approved trading plan under Rule 10b5-1.
- (2) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$79.08 (range \$78.36 to \$79.34).
- (3) Ms. Stamoulis undertakes to provide (upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer) full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (4) Open market sales reported on this line occurred at a weighted average price of \$79.69 (range \$79.35 to \$80.29).
- (5) Right to buy under 2006 Stock and Option Plan, vesting in 16 quarterly installments from 10/05/2009.
- (6) Right to buy under 2006 Stock and Option Plan, vesting in 16 quarterly installments from 07/14/2010.

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