ARDELYX, INC. Form 4 August 03, 2015

## FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Rosenbaum David P.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ARDELYX, INC. [ARDX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner		
C/O ARDELYX, INC., 34175 ARDENWOOD BLVD, SUITE 200			(Month/Day/Year) 07/30/2015	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specifically) below) SVP, Drug Development		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
FREMONT,	, CA 94555		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ 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. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price			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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	07/30/2015		S <u>(1)</u>	2,011	D	\$ 19.2716 (2)	75,581	I	See Footnote (3)
Common Stock							25,880	D	
Common Stock							2,777	I	See Footnote (4)
Common Stock							2,777	I	See Footnote (5)

Common See See Stock 2,777 I Footnote (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 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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	3	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

#### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	IX.	ciationships	
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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Rosenbaum David P.

C/O ARDELYX, INC.

SVP, Drug

34175 ARDENWOOD BLVD, SUITE 200

FREMONT, CA 94555

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### **Signatures**

/s/ Michael Raab, Attorney-in-Fact for David
Rosenbaum

08/03/2015

\*\*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 a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on June 18, 2015.
- (2) This transaction was executed in multiple trades in prices ranging from \$19.19 to \$19.566, inclusive. The price reported in Column 4 above reflects the weighted average sales price. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide to the Securities and Exchange

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Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each respective price within the range set forth in this footnote.

- (3) The shares are directly held by David Paul Rosenbaum and Susan Edelstein Rosenbaum, Trustees of the David Paul Rosenbaum Family Trust
- (4) The shares are directly held by the reporting person's son.
- (5) The shares are directly held by the reporting person's daughter.

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