

Altus Pharmaceuticals Inc.
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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 *
Berkle Sheldon

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ALTUS
PHARMACEUTICALS INC., 125
SIDNEY STREET

(Street)

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/01/2006

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 and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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) | Price | | |
| | | | | Code V | Amount | | |
| Common Stock | 12/01/2006 | | M | 9,750 A | \$ 3.92 9,750 | D | |
| Common Stock | 12/01/2006 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | 9,750 D | \$ 17.87 0 | D | |

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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Stock Option (Right to buy) | \$ 3.92 | 12/01/2006 | | M | 9,750 | 05/09/2005 ⁽²⁾ 05/08/2015 | Common Stock | 9,750 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Berkle Sheldon C/O ALTUS PHARMACEUTICALS INC. 125 SIDNEY STREET CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139 | X | | President and CEO | |

Signatures

/s/ Sheldon

Berkle 12/04/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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(1) The sale reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by Mr. Berkle on August 30, 2006.

(2) One quarter of these options vested on May 9, 2006, and thereafter an additional 1/48th of the total underlying option grant vests on a monthly basis, such that all options will be vested after four years. In addition, all of these options are immediately exercisable for shares of restricted stock, which are subject to a repurchase right by the Issuer that lapses based on the vesting schedule set forth in the previous sentence.

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