FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of R BRENNAN DAN	2. Date of Even Requiring State (Month/Day/Yea 06/13/2018	ment	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CATALYST PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.</u> [CPRX]						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 355 ALHAMBRA CIRCLE				4. Relationship of Reporting Perso (Check all applicable) Director	10% Owner		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
SUITE 1250				X Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)		
(Street)			Chief Commercial	UIIICer		X Form filed by One Reporting Person			
CORAL FL GABLES	33134						Form filed b Reporting P	y More than One erson	
(City) (State)	(Zip)								
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned									
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)				2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share				3,094	D				
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)									
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securit Underlying Derivative Security	(Instr. 4) Conve or Exe		e Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Options to purchase Co	ommon Stock	06/13/2019	06/13/2025	Common Stock	133,333	3.41	D		
Options to purchase Common Stock		06/13/2020	06/13/2025	Common Stock	133,333	3.41	D		
Options to purchase Common Stock		06/13/2021	06/13/2025	Common Stock	133,334	3.41	D		

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

/s/ Daniel Brennan

06/15/2018

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).

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