FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* O'Keeffe Charles B						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CATALYST PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. [CPRX]										all app		10%	Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 355 ALHAMBRA CIRCLE, SUITE 1250						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/16/2016										belov	er (give title v)	belov	(specify)
(Street) CORAL GABLES FL 33134					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(Sta		Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Date						Execution Date,			Transaction Disposed Code (Instr.			ties Acquired (A) I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and 5) Sec Ber		ount of ties cially I Following ted	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
						Code	v	Amount	(A (D) or)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
Security or I (Instr. 3) Pri-	tive Conversion Date Execution or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			n Date,	Code (Instr.		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) or Dispo	sposed (D) str. 3, 4			e Amount of		nstr. 3	t		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Charles B. O'Keeffe

03/16/2016

** 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 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).

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