CATALYST PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

Form 4

August 26, 2015

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

GRANDE ALICIA

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

CATALYST

PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

[CPRX]

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 08/25/2015

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

VP, Treasurer and CFO

355 ALHAMBRA CIRCLE, SUITE

(Street)

1250

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

CORAL GABLES, FL 33134

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Securities Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price Amount (D)

Common

\$0.001 per share

stock, par value 08/25/2015

M 40,000 A

Code V

196,346

D

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)		1 : (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Options to purchase common stock	\$ 1.09	08/25/2015		M	40,000	<u>(1)</u>	11/05/2015	Common Stock	40,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GRANDE ALICIA 355 ALHAMBRA CIRCLE, SUITE 1250 CORAL GABLES, FL 33134

VP, Treasurer and CFO

Signatures

/s/ Alicia Grande 08/26/2015

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) The option was granted on November 5, 2015 and vested in three equal annual installments.

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