

BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC

Form 4

March 17, 2006

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Cooper Jeffrey H

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O BIOMARIN
PHARMACEUTICAL INC., 105
DIGITAL DRIVE

(Street)

NOVATO, CA 94949

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol

BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL
INC [BMRN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/16/2006

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	03/16/2006 ⁽¹⁾	03/16/2006	M		12,500	A	\$ 8.1
Common Stock	03/16/2006 ⁽¹⁾	03/16/2006	S		12,500	D	\$ 14.85

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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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.1	03/16/2006 ⁽¹⁾		M	12,500	04/06/2004 ⁽²⁾ 10/05/2013	Common Stock 12,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Cooper Jeffrey H
C/O BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC.
105 DIGITAL DRIVE
NOVATO, CA 94949

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ G. Eric Davis,
Attorney-in-Fact 03/17/2006

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

(1) Transactions made pursuant to a 10b5-1 Trading Plan.

(2) Options vested 6/48ths on April 6, 2004 and 1/48ths per month thereafter.

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