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**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 *
LARUE WILLIAM R

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O CONATUS
PHARMACEUTICALS INC., 16745
WEST BERNARDO DRIVE, SUITE
200**

(Street)

SAN DIEGO, CA 92127

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
**Conatus Pharmaceuticals Inc.
[CNAT]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/06/2017

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)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)

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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 (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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)			
			Code	V	Amount		Price

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)**

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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)	8. D S (I
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.09	02/06/2017		A		30,000	<u>(1)</u> 02/05/2027	Common Stock 30,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
LARUE WILLIAM R C/O CONATUS PHARMACEUTICALS INC. 16745 WEST BERNARDO DRIVE, SUITE 200 SAN DIEGO, CA 92127		X		

Signatures

/s/ Charles J. Cashion, as Attorney-in-Fact for William R. LaRue

02/07/2017

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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The shares subject to this option become exercisable as they vest. One-third of the total number of shares subject to this option vests and (1) becomes exercisable on each anniversary of the grant date, so that the entire number of shares subject to this option becomes fully vested and exercisable on the third anniversary of the grant date.

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