

Ampio Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
 Form 4
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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 CLIFT VAUGHAN LENNOX

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Ampio Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
 [AMPE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 08/11/2014

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Chief Regulatory Affairs

C/O AMPIO
 PHARMACEUTICALS, INC, 373
 INVERNESS PARKWAY, SUITE
 200

(Street)

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

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

ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|-----|-------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Code | V | Amount | (D) | 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) | Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 6.48 | 08/11/2014 | | A | 170,000 | (1) 08/11/2024 | Common Stock | 170,000 | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| CLIFT VAUGHAN LENNOX C/O AMPIO PHARMACEUTICALS, INC 373 INVERNESS PARKWAY, SUITE 200 ENGLEWOOD, CO 80112 | | | Chief Regulatory Affairs | |

Signatures

/s/ Vaughan
Clift 08/13/2014

**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) The stock option vests and becomes exercisable with respect to 50% of the shares (85,000) on the grant date (August 11, 2014) and with respect to the additional 50% of the shares (85,000) on July 31, 2015, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous service to the Issuer on each such date, and the terms under the Company's 2010 Stock Option and Incentive Plan and an employment agreement between the Reporting Person and the Issuer.

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