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## FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **ASELAGE STEVE** Issuer Symbol **BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL** (Check all applicable) INC [BMRN] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O BIOMARIN 04/30/2012 EVP, Chief Business Officer PHARMACEUTICAL INC., 105 DIGITAL DRIVE (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NOVATO, CA 94949 (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 7. Nature 1. Title of Security of Indirect (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transactionor Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price Code V Amount \$ CommonStock 04/30/2012<sup>(1)</sup> 04/30/2012 D 1,006 47,685 19.346 Common Stock 05/08/2012 A 16,000 A <u>(2)</u> 63,685 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 37.46	05/08/2012		A	40,000	11/08/2012(3)	05/07/2022	Common Stock	40,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ASELAGE STEVE

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

EVP, Chief Business Officer

## **Signatures**

/s/ Laura Randall Woodhead,
Attorney-in-Fact
05/10/2012

\*\*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 reporting person is voluntarily reporting the acquisition of shares of the issuer's common stock pursuant to the issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan ("ESPP"), for the ESPP purchase period of November 1, 2011 to April 30, 2012.
- (2) Restricted stock units granted on May 8, 2012. Price not applicable.
- (3) Options vest 6/48ths on November 8, 2012 and 1/48th on the 8th of each month thereafter.

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