

SOLOMON SHARON M
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SOLOMON SHARON M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
WATSON PHARMACEUTICALS
INC [WPI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

 Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
VP, Information Technology

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O WATSON
PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 311
BONNIE CIRCLE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/22/2005

CORONA, CA 92880

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock, par value \$0.0033	08/22/2005		M		15,000 A \$ 27.88	17,092	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.0033	08/22/2005		M		6,000 A \$ 26.4	23,092	D
Common Stock, par	08/22/2005		M		2,000 A \$ 26.14	25,092	D

value
\$0.0033

Common Stock, par value	08/22/2005		S	22,700	D	\$ 35.65	2,392		D
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\$0.0033

Common Stock, par value	08/22/2005		S	300	D	\$ 35.67	2,092 ⁽¹⁾		D
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\$0.0033

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)

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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 27.88	08/22/2005		M	3	11/15/2004 11/15/2011	Common Stock, par value \$0.0033
Non-Qualified Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 27.88	08/22/2005		M	14,997	11/15/2004 11/15/2011	Common Stock, par value \$0.0033
Incentive Stock Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 26.4	08/22/2005		M	1	05/28/2005 05/28/2012	Common Stock, par value \$0.0033
Non-Qualified Options to	\$ 26.4	08/22/2005		M	5,999	05/28/2005 05/28/2012	Common Stock, par

Purchase Common Stock									value \$0.0033
Non-Qualified Options to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 26.14	08/22/2005	M	2,000	08/09/2005	08/09/2014			Common Stock, par value \$0.0033

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SOLOMON SHARON M C/O WATSON PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 311 BONNIE CIRCLE CORONA, CA 92880			VP, Information Technology	

Signatures

/s/SHARON M.
SOLOMON

08/23/2005

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) Includes 1,092 shares acquired through the Watson Pharmaceuticals, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan and 1,000 shares of restricted stock issued pursuant to the Amendment and Restatement of the 2001 Incentive Award Plan of Watson Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

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