Catalyst Pharmaceutical Partners, Inc.

Form 4

October 22, 2009

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

O'Keeffe Charles B

(Last)

(City)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(First) (Middle)

355 ALHAMBRA CIRCLE, SUITE

1370

(Street)

(State)

CORAL GABLES, FL 33134

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Catalyst Pharmaceutical Partners,

Inc. [CPRX] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

3.

10/20/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

or

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Owned

5. Amount of

Securities

Beneficially

Following

Issuer

below)

X_ Director

Applicable Line)

Officer (give title

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative Securities Conversion

5. Number of

Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(I)

(Instr. 4)

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership (Instr. 4)

Indirect

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

Estimated average

burden hours per

7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
	Security			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An Nu Sha
Options to purchase common stock	\$ 1.37	10/20/2009		H(1)		291,844	01/03/2005	01/03/2010	Common Stock	29
Options to purchase common stock	\$ 0.9	10/20/2009		A	55,000		10/20/2009	10/20/2014	Common Stock	5:
Options to purchase common stock	\$ 0.9	10/20/2009		A	25,000		10/20/2010	10/20/2014	Common Stock	2:
Options to purchase common stock	\$ 0.9	10/20/2009		A	25,000		10/20/2011	10/20/2014	Common Stock	2:

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
O'Keeffe Charles B 355 ALHAMBRA CIRCLE, SUITE 1370 CORAL GABLES, FL 33134	X					

Signatures

/s/ Charles B.
O'Keeffe

**Signature of Reporting Person

10/22/2009

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) Options were cancelled pursuant to the above-described grant.

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