FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  LYTLE PAUL J				<u>I</u>	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol PEREGRINE PHARMACEUTICALS INC PPHM ]						_ [ (Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owne  Officer (give title Other (spec				ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 14282 FRANKLIN AVE.				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/17/2012							X below) below)  Chief Financial Officer						
(Street) TUSTIN	C	A	92780-7017	4	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					6. In Line)							
(City)	(S	state)	(Zip)		Person												
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date,		Code (Ir	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 Code (Instr.		d (A) or r. 3, 4 and 5	5. Amount Securities Beneficial Owned Fo	Form (D) of ollowing (I) (In		Direct I Indirect E str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction (Instr. 3 ar	on(s)					
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/Yea	Code	ansaction Derivative Ex		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)	on(s)		
Incentive Stock Options (right to buy)	\$0.95	02/17/2012		A		140,000		05/17/2012 <sup>(</sup>	1)	)2/17/2022	Common Stock	140,000	\$0.0000	407,50	00	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. This option vests quarterly over a two year period.

/s/ Michelle May For Paul J. **Lytle** 

02/17/2012

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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