

BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC
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FORM 4

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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 *
BIENAIME JEAN JACQUES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC [BMRN]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC., 105 DIGITAL DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
05/22/2008

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chief Executive Officer

(Street)
NOVATO, CA 94949

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 38.59 | 05/22/2008 | | A | 425,000 | 11/22/2008 ⁽¹⁾ 05/21/2018 | Common Stock 425,000 |
| Restricted Stock Unit | \$ 0 ⁽²⁾ | 05/22/2008 | | A | 30,000 | 06/22/2009 ⁽³⁾ | Common Stock 30,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| BIENAIME JEAN JACQUES C/O BIOMARIN PHARMACEUTICAL INC. 105 DIGITAL DRIVE NOVATO, CA 94949 | X | | Chief Executive Officer | |

Signatures

G. Eric Davis,
Attorney-in-Fact

05/27/2008

__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) Original option grant vests 6/48ths on 11/22/2008 and 1/48th each on the 22nd of each month thereafter.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of BioMarin common stock upon vesting.
- (3) Restricted Stock Units vest 1/4th each on June 22, 2009, May 22, 2010, May 22, 2011 and May 22, 2012.

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