

Lippa Arnold  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 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)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â Lippa Arnold</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O AURORA CAPITAL, LLC,Â 17 PARK AVENUE, #201</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>NEW YORK,Â NYÂ 10016</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>03/22/2013</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>CORTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC/DE/ [CORX]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other                  (give title below) (specify below)                  Chairman, CEO and President / Member of 10% owner group</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person  <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	2,971,792 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	By Aurora Capital LLC

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
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### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			Other	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer		
Lippa Arnold C/O AURORA CAPITAL, LLC 17 PARK AVENUE, #201 NEW YORK, NY 10016	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Chairman, CEO and President	Member of 10% owner group

### Signatures

Arnold S. Lippa                      04/01/2013

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

### Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).

The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and the (1) inclusion of these shares in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all the reported shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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