

NOVEN PHARMACEUTICALS INC

Form 4

July 26, 2006

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
EISENBERG JEFFREY F

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O NOVEN
PHARMACEUTICALS,
INC., 11960 S.W. 144TH STREET**

(Street)

MIAMI, FL 33186

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
**NOVEN PHARMACEUTICALS
INC [NOVN]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
07/25/2006

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
Sr. VP - Strategic Alliances

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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Person

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (\$.0001 Par Value)	07/25/2006		M ⁽¹⁾	18,000 A \$ 10 21,400		D	
Common Stock (\$.0001 Par Value)	07/25/2006		S ⁽¹⁾	18,000 D \$ 20 3,400		D	

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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 10	07/25/2006		M ⁽¹⁾	18,000	⁽²⁾ 11/07/2006	Common Stock (\$.0001 Par Value)	18,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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Sr. VP - Strategic Alliances

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey F.
Eisenberg 07/26/2006

**Signature of
Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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

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(1) This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 9, 2006.

(2) 10% exercisable after 11/08/2000; 20% exercisable after 11/08/2001; 20% exercisable after 11/08/2002; 25% exercisable after 11/08/2003; 25% exercisable after 11/08/2004.

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