CROCKER GARY L

Form 5

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Common

12/19/2012

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1. Name and A	Address of Reporting 1	Symbol MERR PHARM	Symbol Issuer MERRIMACK PHARMACEUTICALS INC [MACK] 3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) [Month/Day/Year] Issuer (Checkle) XDirectorOfficer (given below)					(Check all applicable)				
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	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)				
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-Der	rivative Sec	urities	s Acqui	ired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	ransaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. nth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction any Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquire (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	12/19/2012	Â	G <u>(1)</u>	39,000	D	\$ 0	2,492,331	I	By Crocker Ventures,			

LLC

By Wife

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of			Persons wh	ormation	SEC 2270				
Common Stock	12/19/2012	Â	G(2)	15,015	A	\$0	2,471,271	I	By Son
Common Stock	12/19/2012	Â	G(2)	15,015	A	\$ 0	2,456,256	I	By Daughter
Common Stock	12/19/2012	Â	G(2)	90,090	D	\$0	2,441,241	I	By Wife

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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)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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C/O MERRIMACK PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. ONE KENDALL SQUARE, SUITE B7201 CAMBRIDGE, MAÂ 02139

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Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey A. Munsie, attorney-in-fact 02/13/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) This transaction involved the gift of securities by Crocker Ventures, LLC to the reporting person's wife.

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(2) This transaction involved the gift of securities by the reporting person's wife to, among others, the reporting person's daughter and son, who share the reporting person's household.

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