MAIDA ANTHONY E III

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MAIDA ANTHONY E III			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SPECTRUM PHARMACEUTICALS INC [SPPI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 11500 S. EAS 240	(First) (STERN AVE.,	(Middle) SUITE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2012	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
HENDERSO	(Street) HENDERSON, NV 89052		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Do (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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	03/05/2012		M	3,200	A	\$ 2.55	5,450	D	
Common Stock	03/05/2012		S	3,200	D	\$ 12.83	2,250	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2012		M	2,500	A	\$ 2.55	4,750	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2012		S	2,500	D	\$ 12.7	2,250	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction Derivative Code Securities		(Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option Exercise (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.55	03/05/2012		M	3,200	<u>(1)</u>	03/25/2018	Common Stock	3,200	
Stock Option Exercise (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.55	03/06/2012		M	2,500	<u>(1)</u>	03/25/2018	Common Stock	2,500	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MAIDA ANTHONY E III 11500 S. EASTERN AVE. SUITE 240 HENDERSON, NV 89052	X					

Signatures

/s/ Shyam Kumaria, attorney-in-fact for Anthony E. Maida	03/06/2012	
**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).
- The stock option, representing the right to purchase a total of 30,000 shares of common stock, was granted on March 25, 2008. The stock
- (1) option became exercisable as to 50% of the underlying shares on the grant date, and became exercisable as to the remaining shares in equal monthly installments over the one year period following the grant date.

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