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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

LANKAU PETER A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ENDO PHARMACEUTICALS HOLDINGS INC [ENDP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/01/2006

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ _ Other (specify

below) President & CEO

100 ENDO BOULEVARD

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

CHADDS FORD, PA 19317

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficially	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. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of (`	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, par value \$.01 per share	09/01/2006		M	43,652	. ,	\$ 9.17	1,113,871 (1)	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	09/01/2006		S	43,652 (2)	D	\$ 32.8691	1,070,219 (3)	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Sec Acc or I (D)	urities quired (A) Disposed of str. 3, 4,	6. Date Exerci- Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	/ (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock options granted pursuant to 2000 Stock Incentive Plan	\$ 9.17	09/01/2006		M		43,652	09/19/2004	09/19/2012	Common Stock	43,652

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
LANKAU PETER A 100 ENDO BOULEVARD CHADDS FORD, PA 19317	X		President & CEO					

Signatures

/s/ Peter A.
Lankau

**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) Mr. Lankau's beneficial ownership includes 67,399 shares of Endo common stock and 1,046,472 shares underlying options granted under the Endo Pharmaceuticals Holdings Inc. 2000 and 2004 Stock Incentive Plans, 431,214 of which are currently exercisable.
- As previously disclosed, Mr. Lankau had placed 436,520 of the shares underlying his stock options into a 10b5-1 pre-set selling program for a period of approximately 24 months, which began on March 1, 2006 (the "Lankau Pre-Set Selling Program"). The shares sold here were sold pursuant to the Lankau Pre-Set Selling Program, which leaves 130,956 shares (underlying options) in the Lankau Pre-Set Selling Program as of September 6, 2006.

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- Mr. Lankau's beneficial ownership includes 23,747 shares of Endo common stock and 1,046,472 shares underlying options granted under the Endo Pharmaceuticals Holdings Inc. 2000 and 2004 Stock Incentive Plans, 431,214 of which are currently exercisable. The 43,652 shares sold here were sold pursuant to the Lankau Pre-Set Selling Program, which leaves 130,956 shares (underlying options) in the Lankau Pre-Set Selling Program as of September 6, 2006.
- (4) This number represents the remainder of the 9/19/2002 grant to Mr. Lankau of 360,000 options.

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