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FORM 4

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]

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

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

04/24/2006

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title _

10% Owner __ 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) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit oror 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	04/24/2006		M	43,652	` /	\$ 7.25	1,332,131 (1)	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	04/24/2006		S	43,652 (2)	D	\$ 31.5649	1,332,131 (3)	D	

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

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock options granted pursuant to 2000 Stock Incentive Plan	\$ 7.25	04/24/2006		M	43,652	<u>(4)</u>	10/13/2010	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 1,264,732 shares underlying options granted under the Endo Pharmaceuticals Holdings Inc. 2000 and 2004 Stock Incentive Plans, 505,595 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 349,216 shares (underlying options) in the Lankau Pre-Set Selling Program as of April 25, 2006.

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- Mr. Lankau's beneficial ownership includes 23,747 shares of Endo common stock and 1,264,732 shares underlying options granted under the Endo Pharmaceuticals Holdings Inc. 2000 and 2004 Stock Incentive Plans, 505,595 of which are currently exercisable. The 43,652 shares sold here were sold pursuant to the Lankau Pre-Set Selling Program, which leaves 349,216 shares (underlying options) in the Lankau Pre-Set Selling Program as of April 25, 2006.
- (4) 25,913 were exercisable on 10/13/2002 and 17,739 were exercisable on 10/13/2003.

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