Stroman David W. Form 4 December 10, 2012

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Stroman David W.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

NovaBay Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

(Check all applicable)

[NBY]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

(Month/Day/Year) 12/06/2012

C/O NOVABAY PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 5980

HORTON STREET, SUITE 550

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

SVP, Ophthalmic Product Devt.

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

EMERYVILLE, CA 94608

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Code (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

(D) Price Amount

Common Stock (1)

12/06/2012

P 10,000

22,000

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)

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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 on 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Warrants to purchase Common Stock (2)	\$ 1.5	12/06/2012		P	7,500	12/11/2012	12/11/2013	Common Stock	7,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Stroman David W.

C/O NOVABAY PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 5980 HORTON STREET, SUITE 550

EMERYVILLE, CA 94608

SVP, Ophthalmic Product Devt.

Signatures

/s/ Theresa Granados, Attorney-in-Fact for Dr. David Stroman

12/10/2012

**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) At the public offering of the Company on December 6, 2012, Dr. Stroman purchased 10,000 shares of common stock with 7,500 warrants to purchase common stock.
- (2) At the public offering of the Company on December 6, 2012, Dr. Stroman purchased 10,000 shares of common stock with 7,500 warrants to purchase common stock.

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