NovaBay Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

NovaBay Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

(Check all applicable)

SVP, Ophthalmic Product Devt.

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

(Month/Day/Year) 10/05/2015

[NBY]

C/O NOVABAY

PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 5980 **HORTON STREET, SUITE 550**

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

(Street)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

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

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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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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 Title of Derivative Security 	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of orDerivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour Numbe Shares
Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.27	10/05/2015		A	100,000	10/05/2016(1)	10/05/2025	common stock	100,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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/ Justin Hall as attorney-in-fact for David Stroman 10/06/2015

**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) Options granted pursuant to the 2007 Omnibus Incentive Plan and NovaBay's Annual Employee Equity Refresh Program. 25% will vest on the first anniversary of the Grant Date. 6.25% will vest every three months thereafter.

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