NIGALAYE ASHOK G

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NIGALAYE ASHOK G

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

ELITE PHARMACEUTICALS INC

/NV/ [ELTP]

(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

1 Title of

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

2 Transaction Date 2A Deemed

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title

X__ 10% Owner _ Other (specify

7 Nature of

C/O EPIC PHARMA, LLC, 227-15

(State)

03/25/2013

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Chief Scientific Officer

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Issuer

below)

NORTH CONDUIT AVENUE (Street)

LAURELTON, NY 11413

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

4 Securities Acquired (A) or 5 Amount of 6

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Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactiorDisposed of (D)			Securities	Ownership	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	Form:	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
							Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported	(I)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/25/2013		<u>J(1)</u>	6,775,068	A	\$ 0.0369	15,060,666	I (1)	by Epic Investments,
DIOCK						0.0307			LLC

Common

7,599,356 D

Stock

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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)	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 Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou Numb Shares
Warrants	\$ 0.0625	03/25/2013		J <u>(1)</u>	6,666,667	06/03/2009	06/03/2016	Common Stock	6,66
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
NIGALAYE ASHOK G C/O EPIC PHARMA, LLC 227-15 NORTH CONDUIT AVENUE LAURELTON, NY 11413	X	X	Chief Scientific Officer			

Signatures

Ashok Nigalaye 03/27/2013

**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).
- Ashok Nigalaye is an equity owner and executive officer of each of Epic Pharma, LLC ("EP"), and Epic Investments, LLC ("EI") (which is controlled by EP), and also serves as a director of the issuer. Reporting person received these securities pursuant to a distribution by EI to its members.

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