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 Symbol ELITE PHARMACEUTICALS INC	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			/NV/ [ELTP]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify		
C/O EPIC PH NORTH CON		•	04/25/2013	below) below) Chief Scientific Officer		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
LAURELTON	N, NY 11413	3		_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tai	ble I - Non	-Derivative Sec	curitie	s 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities A orDisposed of (E (Instr. 3, 4 and)	d (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	04/25/2013		D	150,000	D	\$ 0.08	22,510,022 (2)	I (1)	see footnote
Common Stock	04/26/2013		D	243,926	D	\$ 0.0802	22,266,096 (3)	I (1)	see footnote
Common Stock	04/26/2013		C <u>(7)</u>	8,230,453	A	\$ 0	30,496,549 (4)	I (1)	see footnote (1)
Common	04/29/2013		D	130,000	D	\$ 0.08	30,366,546	I (1)	see

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Stock						(5)		footnote (1)
Common Stock	04/29/2013	J <u>(8)</u>	13,367,481	D	\$ 0.0369	16,999,068 (6)	I (1)	see footnote

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Securiti (A) or l (D)		6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Ye	e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4	ec
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	A N S
Series E Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 0.0243	04/26/2013		С		200	04/26/2013	<u>(10)</u>	Common Stock	
Warrants	\$ 0.0625	04/26/2013		J <u>(9)</u>	1	3,272,999	10/30/2009	10/30/2016	Common Stock	1

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

Ashok Nigalaye	04/29/2013		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

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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 G. Nigalaye is an equity owner and executive officer of each of Epic Pharma, LLC ("EP"), and Epic Investments, LLC ("EI")
- (1) (which is controlled by EP), which owns securities convertible into or exercisable for in excess of 10% of the outstanding shares of common stock of the issuer, and also serves as a director of the issuer.
- Of the 22,510,022 shares of common stock, 14,910,666 shares of common stock are owned indirectly through EI and 7,599,356 shares are owned directly by the reporting person.
- (3) Of the 22,266,096 shares of common stock, 14,666,740 shares of common stock are owned indirectly through EI and 7,599,356 shares are owned directly by the reporting person
- Of the 30,496,549 shares of common stock, 22,897,193 shares of common stock are owned indirectly through EI and 7,599,356 shares are owned directly by the reporting person
- Of the 30,366,546 shares of common stock, 22,767,193 shares of common stock are owned indirectly through EI and 7,599,356 shares are owned directly by the reporting person
- Of the 16,999,068 shares of common stock, 9,399,712 shares of common stock are owned indirectly through EI and 7,599,356 shares are owned directly by the reporting person
- (7) Conversion of Series E Preferred Stock of issuer at the rate of approximately 41,152.26 shares of common for each share of such preferred stock.
- (8) Disposition of shares to its members
- (9) Disposition of warrants to its members
- (10) N/A

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