**POTTI RAM** Form 4 May 13, 2013

## FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **POTTI RAM** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

ELITE PHARMACEUTICALS INC

(Check all applicable)

/NV/ [ELTP]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O EPIC PHARMA, LLC, 227-15

(Street)

(State)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

(Month/Day/Year)

05/09/2013

NORTH CONDUIT AVENUE

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

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Issuer

below)

LAURELTON, NY 11413

(City)

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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. Securitie comr Disposec (Instr. 3, 4 a	d of (Ľ	<b>)</b> )	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	05/09/2013		D	391,500	D	\$ 0.0711	15,235,392 (2)	I (1)	footnote

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4.	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Monus Days Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/ e		Underl Securit	lying	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

POTTI RAM C/O EPIC PHARMA, LLC 227-15 NORTH CONDUIT AVENUE LAURELTON, NY 11413

X

Deletionship

# **Signatures**

Ram Potti 05/13/2013

\*\*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).
- Ram Potti is an equity owner and executive officer of each of Epic Pharma, LLC ("EP"), and Epic Investments, LLC ("EI") (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.
- (2) Of the 15,235,392 shares of common stock, 14,910,666 shares of common stock are owned indirectly through EI, 1,355,014 are owned indirectly through IRA and 4,872,166 shares are owned directly by the reporting person.

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