Stewart Robert A Form 3 November 17, 2009 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OM

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Stewart Robert A			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement(Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WATSON PHARMACEUTICALS INC [WPI]				
(Last) (I	First)	(Middle)	11/16/2009		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
360 MT. KEMI (S MORRISTOW)	Street)				Director X Officer (give title below	all applicable) 10% (Other v) (specify belo lobal Operation	Owner ow)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (S	State)	(Zip)	r	Fable I - N	on-Derivat	ive Securiti	es Be	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)			1	2. Amount of Beneficially ((Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	•	
No securities be	eneficiall	y owned		0		D	Â		
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Tabl	e II - Deriv	vative Secur	ities Beneficiall	ly Owned (e.	g., puts, calls,	warrants, opt	ions, c	onvertible securities)	

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
					Price of	Derivative	(
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

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Shares

(I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1		10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Stewart Robert A 360 MT. KEMBLE AVENUE MORRISTOWN, NJ 07960		Â	Sr VP,Global Operations	Â			
Signatures							
Robert A. Stewart 11/	16/2009						
<u>**</u> 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 5(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).

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