

AERIE PHARMACEUTICALS INC
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
DUYK GEOFFREY M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AERIE PHARMACEUTICALS INC [AERI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O TPG GLOBAL, LLC, 301 COMMERCE STREET, SUITE 3300

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/14/2017

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

(Street)
FORT WORTH, TX 76102

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	02/14/2017		M		6,667	A	\$ 19.5	10,067	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2017		F		2,770	D	\$ 46.95	7,297	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2017		M		10,000	A	\$ 32.3	17,297	D	
Common Stock	02/14/2017		F		6,880	D	\$ 46.95	10,417	D	
	02/14/2017		M		13,500	A	\$ 17.55	23,917	D	

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Common Stock							
Common Stock	02/14/2017		F	5,047	D	\$ 46.95	18,870 D
Common Stock	02/14/2017		M	28,000	A	\$ 3.15	46,870 D
Common Stock	02/14/2017		F	1,879	D	\$ 46.95	44,991 D
Common Stock	02/14/2017		S	20,795	D	\$ <u>(1)</u> 46.4563	24,196 D
Common Stock	02/15/2017		S	20,796	D	\$ <u>(2)</u> 46.8089	3,400 D

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)

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)	5. Number of Derivative 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 of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.5	02/14/2017		M	6,667	<u>(3)</u> 06/08/2026	Common Stock	6,667
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.3	02/14/2017		M	10,000	<u>(4)</u> 04/10/2025	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.55	02/14/2017		M	13,500	<u>(5)</u> 06/11/2024	Common Stock	13,500

