

LA JOLLA PHARMACEUTICAL CO

Form 4

September 13, 2016

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
TANG KEVIN C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
LA JOLLA PHARMACEUTICAL
CO [LJPC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
4747 EXECUTIVE DRIVE, SUITE
510

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
09/09/2016

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

(Street)
SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☐ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☒ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(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	09/09/2016		P		100,000	A \$ 19.7197	3,152,130	I ⁽¹⁾	By LP ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock	09/12/2016		P		22,587	A \$ 19.9179	3,174,717	I ⁽¹⁾	By LP ⁽¹⁾
Common Stock	09/13/2016		P		16,448	A \$ 20.2769	3,191,165	I ⁽¹⁾	By LP ⁽¹⁾

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor 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
TANG KEVIN C 4747 EXECUTIVE DRIVE, SUITE 510 SAN DIEGO, CA 92121	X	X		
TANG CAPITAL PARTNERS LP 4747 EXECUTIVE DRIVE, SUITE 510 SAN DIEGO, CA 92121		X		
TANG CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC 4747 EXECUTIVE DRIVE, SUITE 510 SAN DIEGO, CA 92121		X		

Signatures

/s/ Kevin C. Tang	09/13/2016
_____ **Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Kevin C. Tang, Managing Member of Tang Capital Management, LLC, General Partner	09/13/2016
_____ **Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Kevin C. Tang, Managing Member	09/13/2016
_____ **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).

The securities are beneficially owned by Tang Capital Partners, LP ("TCP"). Kevin C. Tang is the sole manager of Tang Capital

(1) Management, LLC, which is the general partner of TCP. Mr. Tang disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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