Vanda Pharmaceuticals Inc. Form 3 December 21, 2015 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB APPROVAL OMB 3235-01

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> BATE KENNETH	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	^{ng} 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Vanda Pharmaceuticals Inc. [VNDA]					
(Last) (First) (Middle)	12/17/2015	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) (Check all applicable) 5.					
AVENUE, SUITE 300E (Street) WASHINGTON, DC 20037		(Check all applicable)					
(City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)						
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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 Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	× ,	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	

(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships						
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BATE KENNETH 2200 PENNSYLVANIA A SUITE 300E WASHINGTON, DC 2		ÂX	Â	Â	Â			
Signatures								
/s/ Kenneth M. Bate	12/18/201	5						
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date							
Explanation of Responses:								

No securities are beneficially owned

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