

INNOVUS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

Form 4

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FORM 4

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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 *
ESBER HENRY JEMIL

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
INNOVUS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. [INNV]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)
9171 TOWNE CENTRE DRIVE,
STE 440

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/04/2016

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

SAN DIEGO, CA 92122

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

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) (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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|-----|-------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Code | V | Amount | (D) | Price |

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 | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 4. Transaction | 5. Number of Derivative | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities | 8. I |
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| Security (Instr. 3) | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4) | Sec (In | | |
|-----------------------|--|----------------------|-----------------|---|------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Restricted Stock Unit | (1) | 01/04/2016 | A | 85,714 | | (2) | (2) | Common Stock | 85,714 \$ 0 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ESBER HENRY JEMIL
9171 TOWNE CENTRE DRIVE, STE 440
SAN DIEGO, CA 92122

Signatures

/s/ Randy Berholtz,
Attorney-in-Fact

01/06/2016

**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).
- (1) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive, at settlement, one share of common stock.
- (2) The Reporting Person was granted a Restricted Stock Unit award on January 4, 2016 of 85,714 shares, which were fully vested on the date of the grant.
- (3) These restricted stock units were granted pursuant to the Issuer's 2013 Equity Incentive Plan.

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