Schrepfer Robert W Form 4 March 14, 2019

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Schrepfer Robert W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

ANI PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ANIP]

(Check all applicable)

SVP - New Bus Dev & Spec Sales

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year) 03/12/2019

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

C/O ANI PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 210 MAIN STREET WEST

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Street)

BAUDETTE, MN 56623

(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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispo (Instr. 3,	esed of 4 and (A) or		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)		
Common Stock	03/12/2019		M	5,642	A	\$ 28.76	53,484	D			
Common Stock	03/12/2019		S	5,642	D	\$ 64.4414	47,842	D			
Common Stock	03/12/2019		M	1,503	A	\$ 33	49,345	D			
Common Stock	03/12/2019		S	1,503	D	\$ 64.5	47,842	D			
Common Stock	03/13/2019		M	4,651	A	\$ 33	52,493	D			

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Common \$ 64.4261 47,842 03/13/2019 S D Stock

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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) 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed or (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Derivative urities uired or posed of tr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Purchase	\$ 28.76	03/12/2019		M		5,642	<u>(1)</u>	08/19/2024	Common Stock	\$ 5,642
Option to Purchase	\$ 33	03/12/2019		M		1,503	(2)	03/31/2024	Common Stock	1,503
Option to Purchase	\$ 33	03/13/2019		M		4,651	(2)	03/31/2024	Common Stock	4,651

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Schrepfer Robert W C/O ANI PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 210 MAIN STREET WEST BAUDETTE, MN 56623

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Signatures

/s/ Robert

Schrepfer 03/14/2019

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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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) Option vests and are exercisable over a four year period beginning on the first anniversary of the August 20, 2014.
- (2) Option vests and are exercisable over a four year period beginning on the first anniversary of the April 1, 2014.

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