

NELSON TIMOTHY S  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *<br>Â NELSON TIMOTHY S<br>(Last) (First) (Middle) | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement<br>(Month/Day/Year)<br>10/04/2007 | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>MAP Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [MAPP] | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br><br>(Check all applicable) | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |
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C/O MAP  
 PHARMACEUTICALS,  
 INC., Â 2400 BAYSHORE  
 PARKWAY, SUITE 200  
 (Street)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer  Other  
 (give title below) (specify below)  
 President and CEO, Director

MOUNTAIN  
 VIEW, Â CA Â 94043  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

|                                    |  |   |  |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

|   |   |  |   |   |  |
|---|---|--|---|---|--|
| 1. Title of Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
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|                             | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title        | Amount or Number of Shares | Security | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |   |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | Â (1)            | 05/09/2015      | Common Stock | 357,549                    | \$ 0.64  | D                                     | Â |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | Â (2)            | 09/27/2015      | Common Stock | 71,509                     | \$ 0.64  | D                                     | Â |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | Â (3)            | 01/23/2016      | Common Stock | 179,176                    | \$ 0.74  | D                                     | Â |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | Â (4)            | 03/05/2017      | Common Stock | 121,468                    | \$ 3.36  | D                                     | Â |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | Â (5)            | 05/01/2017      | Common Stock | 180,790                    | \$ 6.39  | D                                     | Â |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                               |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                       | Other |
| NELSON TIMOTHY S<br>C/O MAP PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.<br>2400 BAYSHORE PARKWAY, SUITE 200<br>MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043 | Â X           | Â         | Â President and CEO, Director | Â     |

## Signatures

/s/ Timothy S.  
Nelson

10/04/2007

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) The option is exercisable as it vests: 25% of the total number of option shares granted vests and becomes exercisable on the first anniversary from the vesting commencement date, which is April 12, 2005. Thereafter, the remaining 75% of the total number of option shares vests and becomes exercisable in equal installments cumulatively each month over 36 months, so that the entire number of option shares becomes fully vested and exercisable on the fourth anniversary from the vesting commencement date.

(2) The option is exercisable as it vests: 25% of the total number of option shares granted vests and becomes exercisable on the first anniversary from the vesting commencement date, which is January 24, 2006. Thereafter, the remaining 75% of the total number of option shares vests and becomes exercisable in equal installments cumulatively each month over 36 months, so that the entire number of option shares becomes fully vested and exercisable on the fourth anniversary from the vesting commencement date.

(3) The option is exercisable as it vests: 25% of the total number of option shares granted vests and becomes exercisable on the first anniversary from the vesting commencement date, which is January 31, 2006. Thereafter, the remaining 75% of the total number of option shares vests and becomes exercisable in equal installments cumulatively each month over 36 months, so that the entire number of option shares becomes fully vested and exercisable on the fourth anniversary from the vesting commencement date.

(4) The option is exercisable as it vests: 25% of the total number of option shares granted vests and becomes exercisable on the first anniversary from the vesting commencement date, which is March 6, 2007. Thereafter, the remaining 75% of the total number of option shares vests and becomes exercisable in equal installments cumulatively each month over 36 months, so that the entire number of option

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shares becomes fully vested and exercisable on the fourth anniversary from the vesting commencement date.

- (5) The option is exercisable as it vests: 25% of the total number of option shares granted vests and becomes exercisable on the first anniversary from the vesting commencement date, which is May 2, 2007. Thereafter, the remaining 75% of the total number of option shares vests and becomes exercisable in equal installments cumulatively each month over 36 months, so that the entire number of option shares becomes fully vested and exercisable on the fourth anniversary from the vesting commencement date.

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