Hecht Peter M Form 4 May 31, 2011

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

C/O IRONWOOD

BINNEY STREET

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hecht Peter M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

IRONWOOD

PHARMACEUTICALS INC

[IRWD]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

05/26/2011

PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 301

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Chief Executive Officer

10% Owner

Other (specify

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_X__ Director

X_ Officer (give title

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Issuer

below)

CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142

(City)	(State) (.	Table Table	e I - Nor	n-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Aco	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code		4. Securities on Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		The 2000
Class A Common Stock	05/26/2011		G	V	860	A	\$ 0	2,015	I	Trust for Malcolm Paul Hecht
Class A Common Stock	05/26/2011		G	V	860	A	\$0	2,015	I	The 2000 Trust for Zoe Niovi Hecht (1)

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Class A Common Stock	05/26/2011	G	V	860	A	\$0	2,015	I	The 2000 Trust for Alexis Mae Hecht
Class A Common Stock							22,803	D	
Class B Common Stock							3,499,751	D	

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative	6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene
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					4, and 5)						
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						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
r	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Hecht Peter M							
C/O IRONWOOD PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.	X		Chief Everytive Officer				
301 BINNEY STREET	Λ		Chief Executive Officer				
CAMBRIDGE, MA 02142							

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Signatures

/s/ Halley E. Gilbert Attorney-in-Fact

05/31/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
- These shares are held in the referenced trust for the benefit of the reporting person's child. The reporting person's spouse is the trustee of (1) this trust. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and the filing of this report is not an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these securities for purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose.

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