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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).						NERSHIP OF e Act of 1934, f 1935 or Section	Number:3235-0287Number:January 31, 2005Expires:2005Estimated average burden hours per response0.5				
(Print or Type F	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Vaishnaw Akshay			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALNYLAM PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. [ALNY]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner			
(Mon			5. Date of Earliest Transaction Month/Day/Year) 12/04/2012					X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) EVP, Chief Medical Officer			
				Amendment, Date Original (Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person			
CAMBRID	GE, MA 02139							Form filed by M Person	Iore than One Re	eporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemo Execution any (Month/Da	Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) y/Year) (Instr. 8) (A) or		d of (D)	SecuritiesOwnershipBeneficiallyForm: DirectOwned(D) orFollowingIndirect (I)Reported(Instr. 4)Transaction(s)(Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	12/04/2012			M <u>(1)</u>	2,400	A	\$ 7.1	14,988	D		
Common Stock	12/04/2012			S <u>(1)</u>	2,400	D	\$ 17.04	12,588	D		
Common Stock								2,395	I	By Managed Account (2)	

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 Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Transaction Derivative Code Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.1	12/04/2012	M <u>(1)</u>	2,400	(3)	11/30/2021	Common Stock	2,400	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	ress Relationships						
reporting officer tunio (rear cos	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Vaishnaw Akshay 300 THIRD STREET CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139			EVP, Chief Medical Officer				
Signatures							
/s/ Michael P. Mason, Attorney	-in-Fact f	for: Akshay	K. 12/06/2012				

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**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) The sales reported on this Form 4 were made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 20, 2012.
- (2) The reporting person owns 2,395 shares of ALNY common stock under the ALNY 401(k) plan as a result of the ALNY 401(k) matching contribution program.
- (3) The stock option vests as to 25% of the shares on the 1st anniversary of the date of the stock option grant and as to an additional 6.25% of the shares each successive three month period thereafter.

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