FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGE	S IN BENEFIC	IAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MCGOVERN MARK E					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Esperion Therapeutics, Inc. [ESPR]									all applic	able) r	g Pers	on(s) to Issi 10% Ow	vner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ESPERION THERAPEUTICS, INC.,					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/26/2014									Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify		
46701 COMMERCE CENTER DRIVE					4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) PLYMOUTH MI 48170				_									X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(Si	tate)	(Zip)																	
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/E				action 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			Code (Instr. 5)						s For ally (D) following (I) (m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
							Code	,	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		е	Transact (Instr. 3 a	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)			
	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)	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/Y	Code			5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		of Securities		ies g Securit	D	3. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	y E	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		kpiration ate	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er						
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$15.32	02/26/2014			A		20,000		(1)	02	2/10/2024	Common Stock	20,00	0	\$0.00	20,000)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Vests in equal monthly installments rounded down to the nearest whole share over the 36 months following February 10, 2014.

/s/ Richard B. Bartram, by power of attorney Mark E.

02/28/2014

<u>McGovern</u>

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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