FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

ox if no longer subject to	STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP							

OMB APPROVAL OMB Number: 3235-0287 Estimated average burden hours per response: 0.5

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

(First)

(Last)

(Street)

SUITE 220

800 EL CAMINO REAL

(Middle)

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

								00(11) 01 1110	IIIVESIIIIE	ill CC	mpany Act	01 1940						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Longitude Capital Partners, LLC</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Esperion Therapeutics, Inc. [ESPR]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director					
(Last) 800 EL (SUITE 2	CAMINO R	(First) (Middle) MINO REAL				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2013								Officer (g			below)	
(Street) MENLO PARK CA 94025				_ 4	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(5	State)	(Zip)															
		Т	able I - No	on-D	erivat	tive S	Secu	rities Ac	quired	, Dis	sposed o	of, or Be	neficially	Owned				
Date				Fransaction te onth/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securiti Disposed	ies Acquire Of (D) (Inst	d (A) or r. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported			Direct Indirect 7. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o (D)	Price	Transaction (Instr. 3 and	(s) 4)			(5 4)
Common	Stock			07/	/01/20)13			С		1,683,9)67 A	(1)	1,683,9	967	I(5))(3)	By Longitude Venture Partners, L.P. ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾
Common Stock			07/01/2013					С	C		3 A	(1)	33,75	53	I(2)(3)		By Longitude Capital Associates, L.P. ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	
Common Stock			07/01/2013					P		212,41	18 A	\$14	1,896,385		I(2)(3)		By Longitude Venture Partners, L.P. ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	
Common Stock 07/				07/01/2013						4,258	3 A	\$14	38,011		I(5)(3)		By Longitude Capital Associates, L.P. ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	
			Table II					ities Acq warrants					eficially C	wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of		6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Ye		sable and e	7. Title an	d Amount of Underlying Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)		10. Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indirec (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	nt or (Ir				
Series A Preferred Stock	(1)	07/01/2013			С			1,683,967	(1)		(1)	Common Stock	1,683,967	\$0	(0	I ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	By Longitude Venture Partners, L.P. ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾
Series A Preferred Stock	(1)	07/01/2013			С			33,753	(1)		(1)	Common Stock	33,753	\$0	(0	J ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	By Longitude Capital Associates L.P. ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾

MENLO PARK	CA	94025						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Longitude Capital Associates</u> , <u>L.P.</u>								
(Last) 800 EL CAMINO F SUITE 220	(First)	(Middle)						
(Street) MENLO PARK	CA	94025						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						
Name and Address of Reporting Person* Longitude Venture Partners L.P.								
(Last) 800 EL CAMINO F SUITE 220	(First) REAL	(Middle)						
(Street) MENLO PARK	CA	94025						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Tammenoms Bakker Juliet</u>								
(Last) 800 EL CAMINO F SUITE 220	(First)	(Middle)						
(Street) MENLO PARK	CA	94025						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The Series A Preferred Stock was automatically converted into Common Stock on a 6.986-for-1 basis upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering without payment of further consideration and had no expiration date.
- 2. This report is filed jointly by Longitude Capital Partners, LLC ("LCP"), Longitude Venture Partners, L.P. ("LVP"), Longitude Capital Associates, L.P. ("LCA") and Juliet Tammenoms Bakker ("Bakker"), all of whom share beneficial ownership of more than 10% of the capital stock of the Issuer. LVP is the record holder of 11,764,200 shares of Series A Preferred Stock, which will automatically convert into 1,683,967 shares of Common Stock upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering, and LCA is the record holder of 235,800 shares of Series A Preferred Stock, which will automatically convert into 33,753 shares of Common Stock upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering, LCP, as general partner of each of LVP and LCA, has the power to vote and dispose of securities held by each of them and may be deemed to have beneficial ownership of the shares owned by LVP and LCA. (Continued on Footnote 3.)
- 3. Patrick G. Enright, who serves on the Board of Directors of the Issuer and files separate Section 16 filings relating to the Issuer, and Bakker are each managing members of LCP. Each of LCP and Bakker disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities of the Issuer held by LVP and LCA except to the extent of their respective pecuniary interest therein.

managing member
/s/ Longitude Capital Associates,
L.P., by Longitude Capital
Partners, LLC, general partner,
by /s/ Patrick G. Enright,
managing member
/s/ Longitude Venture Partners,
L.P., by Longitude Capital
Partners, LLC, general partner,
by /s/ Patrick G. Enright,

by /s/ Patrick G. Enright, managing member

/s/ Longitude Capital Partners, LLC, by /s/ Patrick G. Enright,

07/01/2013

07/01/2013

<u>/s/ Juliet Tammenoms Bakker, managing member</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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB Number.