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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

MORVILLE MALCOLM

Symbol

(Check all applicable)

INDEVUS PHARMACEUTICALS

INC [IDEV]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title 10% Owner

INDEVUS PHARMACEUTICALS.

(First)

03/08/2006

(Month/Day/Year)

below)

Other (specify

INC., 33 HAYDEN AVENUE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

> _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

> > (Instr. 4)

LEXINGTON, MA 02421

(State) (Zip) (City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (I)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership

Following Reported

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

or

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

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(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Conversion 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

5. Number of Transaction Derivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount of 8 Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	`		(Month/Day,	/Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.36	03/08/2006		A	15,000 (1)		(2)	03/08/2016	Common Stock	15,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MORVILLE MALCOLM INDEVUS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 33 HAYDEN AVENUE LEXINGTON, MA 02421



Signatures

Malcolm Morville 03/09/2006

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Represents a grant of stock options pursuant to the Company's 2004 Equity Incentive Plan.
- (2) Vesting of this stock option is as follows: 25% (3,750 shares) one year from the date of grant (3/8/07); the remaining 75% (11,250 shares) in equal installments over the following successive 12 three-month periods commencing on 6/8/07.

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