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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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2. Date of Event Requiring 2. Louis Name and Ticker or Trading Sy

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person <u>*</u> Weng Zhanguo			Statement (Month/Day/Year)	DRAGON PHARMACEUTICALS INC [DRUG]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	01/12/2005	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Origin Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
C/O DRAGON PHARMACEUTICAL INC., 1055 WEST HASTINGS, SUITE 1900 (Street) VANCOUVER, A1 V6E 2E9			(Check all applicable) _X Director 10% Owner _X Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) Vice Pres., China Operation		Owner r ow)	, , , , ,		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivat	tive Securit	ies Be	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	rity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	*	
Common Sto	ock		8,900,401	<u>(1)</u>	D	Â		
Reminder: Repo	_		ch class of securities benefic	ially S	EC 1473 (7-02	2)		
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Additional Dragon Closing Shares (2)	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	856,480	\$ 0	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Weng Zhanguo C/O DRAGON PHARMACEUTICAL INC. 1055 WEST HASTINGS, SUITE 1900 VANCOUVER. A1 V6E 2E9	ÂX	Â	Vice Pres., China Operation	Â	

Signatures

Zhanguo Weng by Maggie Deng pursuant to a power of attorney

01/18/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
 - 5,306,681 shares are held in escrow to be released in two installments on the first and second anniversary dates from January 12, 2005,
- (1) provided there are no claims made by the Issuer against Reporting Person in connection with the Oriental Wave Share Purchase Agreement.
 - Under the terms of the June 11, 2004 Share Purchase Agreement, Mr. Weng received Additional Closing Dragon Shares in order to maintain his pro rata interest in the Company in the event certain options and warrants outstanding as of the closing date are subsequently
- (2) exercised. The Additional Closing Dragon Shares may be issued or cancelled depending on whether or not such outstanding options or warrants are exercised or cancelled. Such Additional Closing Dragon Shares are held in escrow and are not assumed outstanding until released from escrow.

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