

OSCIENT PHARMACEUTICALS CORP  
 Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 EVNIN LUKE

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 OSCIENT PHARMACEUTICALS CORP [OSCI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 C/O MPM ASSET MANAGEMENT, 111 HUNTINGTON AVE., 31ST FLOOR

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 09/09/2005

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

(Street)  
 BOSTON, MA 02199

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	09/09/2005		S		100,000 (1)	D	\$ 2.5098 4,445,050 I See footnote (2)
Common Stock	09/12/2005		S		205,000 (3)	D	\$ 2.4436 4,240,050 I See footnote (4)
Common Stock	09/13/2005		S		50,000 (5)	D	\$ 2.4371 4,190,050 I See footnote (6)

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
EVNIN LUKE C/O MPM ASSET MANAGEMENT 111 HUNTINGTON AVE., 31ST FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02199		X		

## Signatures

/s/ Luke Evnin 09/13/2005

\_\_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).
- The shares were sold as follows: 87,585 by BB BioVentures L.P. ("BB BV"), 11,265 by MPM BioVentures Parallel Fund, L.P. ("BV PF") and 1,150 by MPM Asset Management Investors 1998 LLC ("AM 1998"). MPM BioVentures I, L.P. ("BV I") and MPM BioVentures I LLC ("BV I LLC") are the direct and indirect general partners of BV PF. BAB BioVentures L.P. ("BAB BV") and BAB BioVentures, N.V. ("BAB NV") are the direct and indirect general partners of BB BV. The Reporting Person is a manager of BAB NV, AM 1998 and BV I LLC.
- (1) The shares are held as follows: 3,893,176 by BB BV, 500,759 by BV PF and 51,115 by AM 1998. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.
  - (2) The shares were sold as follows: 179,550 by BB BV, 23,093 by BV PF and 2,357 by AM 1998.
  - (3)

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- (4) The shares are held as follows: 3,713,626 by BB BV, 477,666 by BV PF and 48,758 by AM 1998. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.
- (5) The shares were sold as follows: 43,793 by BB BV, 5,632 by BV PF and 575 by AM 1998.
- (6) The shares are held as follows: 3,669,833 by BB BV, 472,034 by BV PF and 48,183 by AM 1998. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

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