McBarron Paul Form 4 November 20, 2008

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

McBarron Paul

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Cyclacel Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

[CYCC]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

11/18/2008

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year)

X\_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

E.V.P., Finance & C.O.O.

200 CONNELL DRIVE, SUITE 1500

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_X\_\_ Director

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

BERKELEY HEIGHTS, NJ 07922

(State)

(Street)

(City) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

or Price Code V Amount (D)

(A)

Common

Stock, par value

share

11/18/2008 \$0.001 per

50,000 A (1)(2)

\$0 126,054 D

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration D (Month/Day/ r	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Option	\$ 0.44	11/18/2008		A	150,000	(3)	11/18/2018	Common Stock	150,000	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address			_	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
McBarron Paul				

200 CONNELL DRIVE, SUITE 1500 BERKELEY HEIGHTS, NJ 07922

X

E.V.P., Finance & C.O.O.

Relationships

# **Signatures**

/s/ Paul
McBarron

\*\*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).
- These shares of common stock represent restricted stock and are subject to forfeiture; the restrictions shall lapse over a four-year period, as follows: the restrictions with respect to one-fourth (1/4) of the restricted stock granted shall lapse on November 18, 2009, the first anniversary of the grant date, and the restrictions with respect to the balance of the restricted stock granted shall lapse ratably on a monthly basis over the following 36 months.
- (2) These securities were issued as part of the Issuer's annual equity compensation to executive officers.
- (3) These options are exercisable over a three-year period, with one-third (1/3) of the options granted vesting on November 18, 2009, the first anniversary of the grant date, and the balance of the options granted vesting ratably on a monthly basis over the following 24 months.

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