

INDEVUS PHARMACEUTICALS INC

Form 4

February 25, 2009

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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See Instruction  
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
HANSON MICHAEL E

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O INDEVUS  
PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 33  
HAYDEN AVENUE

(Street)

LEXINGTON, MA 02421

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
INDEVUS PHARMACEUTICALS  
INC [IDEV]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/23/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

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

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Common<br>Stock                       | 02/23/2009                              |                                                             | M                                       | 18,000 A \$ 0                                                              | 18,000                                                                                                             | D                                                                    |                                                                   |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 02/24/2009                              |                                                             | U                                       | 18,000 D (2) 0                                                             | 0                                                                                                                  | 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. 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 or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| Deferred Stock Unit <sup>(1)</sup>         | \$ 0                                                   | 02/23/2009                           |                                                    | M                              | 18,000                                                                                  | <sup>(1)</sup><br><sup>(1)</sup>                         | Common Stock                                                  | 18,000                                                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                                   | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|                                                                                                  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| HANSON MICHAEL E<br>C/O INDEVUS PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.<br>33 HAYDEN AVENUE<br>LEXINGTON, MA 02421 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

Michael E.  
Hanson

02/25/2009

<sup>\*\*</sup>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).

- (1) Transaction pertains to the vesting of deferred stock units ("DSUs") and related issuance of shares of common stock underlying such DSUs in connection with the retirement of the recipient from the Issuer's Board of Directors following the completion of the initial tender offer commenced with respect to the Issuer's shares (the "Offer"). The recipient has tendered the issued shares in the subsequent offering period pertaining to the Offer.
- (2) Shares are tendered in the Offer at a price of \$4.50 per share plus contractual rights to receive up to an additional \$3.00 per Share in contingent cash consideration payments.

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