#### KING PHARMACEUTICALS INC

Form 4

February 02, 2011

## FORM 4

### 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)

(Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* DEAVENPORT EARNEST W JR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

KING PHARMACEUTICALS INC

[KG]

(Middle)

(Check all applicable) X\_ Director 10% Owner

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

11/11/2010

Officer (give title Other (specify below)

C/O KING PHARMACEUTICALS.

(Street)

(First)

INC., 501 FIFTH STREET

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

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BRISTOL, TN 37620

(City) (State) (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

11/11/2010

(Month/Day/Year)

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

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V (D) Price Amount

\$0 43,179 D 0

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)

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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 orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	01/31/2011		D		16,201	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	16,201
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14	01/31/2011		J		10,000	(3)	08/04/2013	Common Stock	10,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8	01/31/2011		J		10,000	(3)	04/29/2015	Common Stock	10,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DEAVENPORT EARNEST W JR C/O KING PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 501 FIFTH STREET

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BRISTOL, TN 37620

## **Signatures**

/s/ Earnest W.
Deavenport, Jr.
02/02/2011

\*\*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) Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") represents a right to receive one share of common stock of King Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ("King").

Pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of October 11, 2010, among Pfizer Inc. ("Pfizer"), King and Parker Tennessee Corp. ("Acquisition Sub") (the "Merger Agreement"), these RSUs, whether or not vested, were fully vested immediately prior to and

canceled immediately following Acquisition Sub's acceptance of the common stock tendered and not validly withdrawn in accordance with the Tender Offer Statement on Schedule TO filed with the SEC by Pfizer and Acquisition Sub on October 22, 2010, as amended (the "Acceptance Time") in exchange for the right to receive cash payment for each RSU of \$14.25, net to the seller in cash, without interest and less any required withholding taxes.

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Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, these stock options, whether or not vested, were fully vested immediately prior to and canceled immediately following the Acceptance Time in exchange for the right to receive cash payment for each such option of the excess of \$14.25 per option, net to the seller in cash, without interest and less any required withholding taxes, over the per-share exercise price of such option.

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