Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Cartt Stephen LaHue</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol QUESTCOR PHARMACEUTICALS INC [QCOR]								Officer (give title				10% Ow Other (s	ner
(Last) 1300 NC SUITE I	800 NORTH KELLOGG DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/16/2011								Executive VP & CBO					
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STOCK OPTION (Right to Buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$14.24	02/16/2011			A		75,000		(2)	02	2/15/2021	Common Stock	75,00	0	\$0	75,00	0	D	
STOCK OPTION (Right to	\$14.24	02/16/2011			A		75,000		(3)	02	2/15/2021	Common Stock	75,00	0	\$0	75,00	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- $1.\ Non-Qualified\ Options\ were\ granted\ under\ the\ Questcor\ Pharmaceuticals,\ Inc.\ 2006\ Equity\ Incentive\ Award\ Plan.$
- 2. The options vest over 48 months beginning on the grant date, subject to a one year cliff such that no options vest until the first anniversary of grant date, at which time 25% of such options vest.
- 3. The options vest subject to the achievement of certain performance-based criteria.

/s/ Steven L. Cartt

02/18/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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