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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Ueno Ryuji</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Sucampo Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [SCMP]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director X 10% Owner					
(Last) 4520 EA SUITE 3	(Fi ST-WEST I	•	(Middle	9)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/24/2012							2	belo			belo	′	
(Street) BETHES (City)		D ate)	2081 ² (Zip)	1	- 4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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								G	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transaci (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Class A Common Stock 12/24/2012				2 ⁽¹⁾	(1)			S		15,916	D	\$5.013	\$5.0134 ⁽²⁾		26,154,993		I	By S&R Technology Holdings, LLC ⁽³⁾	
Class A Common Stock 12/26			12/26/201	2 ⁽¹⁾				S		4,346	D	\$5.000)5 ⁽⁴⁾	26,15	50,647		I	By S&R Technology Holdings, LLC ⁽³⁾	
Class A Common Stock														148	,530		D		
Class A C	ommon Sto	ock													60,357			I	By Wife ⁽⁵⁾
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by S&R Technology Holdings, LLC on August 29, 2012.
- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$5.00 to \$5.07, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Sucampo Pharmaceuticals, Inc., any security holder of Sucampo Pharmaceuticals, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- 3. S&R Technology Holdings, LLC is wholly owned by Dr. Ueno and his wife. Dr. Ueno disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- 4. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$5.00 to \$5.01, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Sucampo Pharmaceuticals, Inc., any security holder of Sucampo Pharmaceuticals, Inc. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- 5. Dr. Ueno disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities

/s/ Kei Tolliver, by Power of 12/27/2012 <u>Attorney</u>

** 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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