# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

#### **SCHEDULE 13D**

[Rule 13d-101]

# INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO §240.13d-1(a) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO §240.13d-2(a)

(Amendment No. 16)\*

QUESTCOR P	HARMACEU	JTICALS, INC.
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(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

74835Y101

(CUSIP Number)

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March 15, 2010

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of \$\$240.13d-1(e), 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box  $\square$ .

\*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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# Amendment No. 16 to Statement on Schedule 13D

This Amendment No. 16 (this "Amendment No. 16") amends the Statement on Schedule 13D, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on August 7, 2001, as amended (the "Schedule 13D"), relating to the shares of common stock, no par value (the "Common Stock"), of Questcor Pharmaceuticals, Inc., a California Corporation ("Questcor"). Pursuant to Rule 13d-2 of Regulation 13D-G promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"), this Amendment No. 16 is being filed on behalf of Mr. Paolo Cavazza ("Mr. P. Cavazza"), Aptafin S.p.A., an Italian corporation ("Aptafin") and Chaumiere - Consultadoria & Servicos SDC Unipessoal LDA, a Portuguese corporation ("Chaumiere" and, together with Mr. P. Cavazza and Aptafin, the "Reporting Persons"). Previously, the Reporting Persons affirmed membership in a "group" for purposes of Section 13(d) and 13(g) of the Act with Sigma Tau Finanziaria SpA, an Italian corporation ("Sigma Tau"), Defiante Farmaceutica L.D.A., a Portuguese corporation ("Defiante") (formerly known as Defiante Farmaceutica Unipessoal L.D.A.), Sigma-Tau International S.A., a Luxembourg corporation ("Sigma Tau International") (formerly known as Sigma-Tau Finance Holding S.A.), Inverlochy Consultadoria & Servicos L.D.A., a Portuguese corporation ("Inverlochy") and Mr. Claudio Cavazza ("Mr. C. Cavazza" and, together with Sigma Tau, Defiante, Sigma Tau International and Inverlochy, the "Former Group Members"). Pursuant to Amendment No. 13 to the Schedule 13D, the Reporting Persons indicated that they are no long er members of a "group" with the Former Group Members. As such, this Amendment No. 16 is filed solely with respect to the Reporting Persons' beneficial ownership of Common Stock.

#### Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.

Item 5 subsections (a) – (c) of the Schedule 13D are hereby amended as follows:

(a) Percentage interest calculations for the Reporting Persons are based upon Questcor having 62,018,979 million shares of Common Stock outstanding as of March 3, 2010 (the "Outstanding Shares"), as reported by Questcor in Questcor's Annual Report on Form 10-K filed with the SEC on March 16, 2010.

#### Mr. P. Cavazza

Pursuant to Rule 13d-3 of the Act, Mr. P. Cavazza may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of 3,930,000 shares of Common Stock, which constitutes approximately 6.34% of the Outstanding Shares.

#### **Aptafin**

Pursuant to Rule 13d-3 of the Act, Aptafin may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of 3,930,000 shares of Common Stock, which constitutes approximately 6.34% of the Outstanding Shares.

#### Chaumiere

Pursuant to Rule 13d-3 of the Act, Chaumiere may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of 3,930,000 shares of Common Stock, which constitutes approximately 6.34% of the Outstanding Shares.

#### (b) Mr. P. Cavazza

The number of shares of Common Stock as to which Mr. P. Cavazza has the sole power to vote or direct the vote is zero. The number of shares of Common Stock as to which Mr. P. Cavazza shares the power to vote or direct the vote is 3,930,000. The number of shares of Common Stock as to which Mr. P. Cavazza has the sole power to dispose or direct the disposition is zero. The number of shares of Common Stock as to which Mr. P. Cavazza shares the power to dispose or direct the disposition is 3,930,000.

#### <u>Aptafin</u>

The number of shares of Common Stock as to which Aptafin has the sole power to vote or direct the vote is zero. The number of shares of Common Stock as to which Aptafin shares the power to vote or direct the vote is 3,930,000. The number of shares of Common Stock as to which Aptafin has the sole power to dispose or direct the disposition is zero. The number of shares of Common Stock as to which Aptafin shares the power to dispose or direct the disposition is 3,930,000.

#### Chaumiere

The number of shares of Common Stock as to which Chaumiere has the sole power to vote or direct the vote is zero. The number of shares of Common Stock as to which Chaumiere shares the power to vote or direct the vote is 3,930,000. The number of shares of Common Stock as to which Chaumiere has the sole power to dispose or direct the disposition is zero. The number of shares of Common Stock as to which Chaumiere shares the power to dispose or direct the disposition is 3,930,000.

(c) The following table sets forth the transactions in the Common Stock effected by the Reporting Persons during the past 60 days:

Date	Party	Type of Transaction	Type of Security	Number of Shares	Price Per Share
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	200	\$6.8200
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	500	\$6.8150
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	1,300	\$6.8100
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	1,000	\$6.8050
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	2,300	\$6.8000
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	2,100	\$6.7900
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	2,000	\$6.7850
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	4,600	\$6.7800
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	2,400	\$6.7750
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	200	\$6.7730
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	11,154	\$6.7700
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	7,500	\$6.7650
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	18,496	\$6.7600

03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	400	\$6.7580
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	5,100	\$6.7550
03/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	10,750	\$6.7500
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	1,200	\$6.9650
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	4,400	\$6.9600
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	1,700	\$6.9550
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	400	\$6.9400
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	1,600	\$6.9350
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	400	\$6.9300
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	400	\$6.9250
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	100	\$6.9150
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	100	\$6.9100
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	300	\$6.9050
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	100	\$6.9000
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	300	\$6.8950
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	800	\$6.8900
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	400	\$6.8850
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	900	\$6.8800

03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	100	\$6.8750
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	900	\$6.8700
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	500	\$6.8650
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	3,070	\$6.8600
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	100	\$6.8550
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	200	\$6.8510
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	1,330	\$6.8500
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	1,500	\$6.8450
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	100	\$6.8425
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	1,200	\$6.8400
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	400	\$6.8350
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	1,944	\$6.8300
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	500	\$6.8250
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	2,200	\$6.8200
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	1,100	\$6.8100
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	10,000	\$6.8000
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	6,300	\$6.7950
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	4,801	\$6.7900
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	1,500	\$6.7850

03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	6,000	\$6.7800
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	4,000	\$6.7750
03/11/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	5,600	\$6.7700
03/08/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	30,000	\$6.7500
03/08/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	27,226	\$6.5000
03/05/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	22,774	\$6.5000
03/03/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	25,000	\$6.0000
03/03/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	25,000	\$5.7500
03/02/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	1,500	\$5.6500
03/02/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	100	\$5.6425
03/02/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	8,200	\$5.6400
03/02/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	4,400	\$5.6300
03/02/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	3,300	\$5.6200
03/02/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	1,500	\$5.6100
03/02/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	4,500	\$5.6000
03/02/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	1,500	\$5.5900
03/02/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	25,000	\$5.5000
03/02/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	25,000	\$5.2500
02/25/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	25,000	\$4.7500

02/01/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	25,000	\$4.5000
01/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	100	\$5.0150
01/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	3,940	\$5.0100
01/15/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	20,960	\$5.0000
01/14/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	21,500	\$5.0000
01/14/2010	Chaumiere	Open market sale	Common Stock	3,500	\$5.0100

#### Item 7. Material to be Filed as Exhibits.

Item 7 of the Schedule 13D is hereby amended to add the following:

**EXHIBIT 28** – Joint Filing Agreement dated December 21, 2006 by and between the Reporting Persons and the Former Group Members (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 7 to the Schedule 13D).

**EXHIBIT 29** – Power of Attorney dated February 29, 2008 by Paolo Cavazza (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 1 of Form 4, filed with the SEC on June 9, 2008, relating to the shares of Common Stock).

**EXHIBIT 30** – Power of Attorney dated February 29, 2008 by Chaumiere – Consultadoria & Servicos SDC Unipessoal LDA (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2 of Form 4, filed with the SEC on June 9, 2008, relating to the shares of Common Stock).

**EXHIBIT 31** – Power of Attorney dated July 14, 2008 by Aptafin S.p.A. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 1 of Form 4, filed with the SEC on July 18, 2008, relating to the shares of Common Stock).

#### **Signatures**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement with respect to Paolo Cavazza is true, complete and correct.

Dated: March 16, 2010

#### PAOLO CAVAZZA

By: /s/ Fabio Poma

Fabio Poma, Attorney-in-fact for Paolo Cavazza

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement with respect to Aptafin S.p.A. is true, complete and correct.

Dated: March 16, 2010

APTAFIN S.P.A.

By: /s/ Fabio Poma

Fabio Poma, Attorney-in-fact for Aptafin S.p.A.

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement with respect to Chaumiere - Consultadoria & Servicos SDC Unipessoal LDA is true, complete and correct.

Dated: March 16, 2010

CHAUMIERE - CONSULTADORIA & SERVICOS SDC UNIPESSOAL LDA

By: /s/ Fabio Poma

Fabio Poma, Attorney-in-fact for Chaumiere - Consultadoria & Servicos SDC Unipessoal LDA

The original statement shall be signed by each person on whose behalf the statement is filed or his authorized representative. If the statement is signed on behalf of a person by his authorized representative (other than an executive officer or general partner of the filing person), evidence of the representative's authority to sign on behalf of such person shall be filed with the statement, *provided*, *however*, that a power of attorney for this purpose which is already on file with the Commission may be incorporated by reference. The name of any title of each person who signs the statement shall be typed or printed beneath his signature.

Attention: Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute Federal criminal violations (see 18 U.S.C. 1001).

## Schedule A

# EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

# Aptafin S.p.A.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	TITLE	<u>CITIZENSHIP</u>
Cristina Cavazza	Viale Shakespeare, 47 00144 Rome Italy	President	Italian
Maurizio Terenzi	via Sudafrica,20, 00144 Rome Italy-	Managing Director	Italian
Antonio Nicolai	via Sudafrica,20, 00144 Rome Italy-	Director	Italian
Emanuela Cavazza	Viale Shakespeare 47 00144 Rome Italy-	Director	Italian

## Schedule A

# EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

# Chaumiere - Consultadoria & Servicos SDC Unipessoal LDA

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	TITLE	CITIZENSHIP
Roberto Carlos de Castro Abreu	Avenida da República, 32, 4.º Esquerdo, 1050-193 Lisboa, Portugal	Director	Portuguese
João Josè de Freitas Rodrigues	Avenida da República, 32, 4.º Esquerdo, 1050-193 Lisboa, Portugal	Director	Portuguese