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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Claiborne Cary J | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Sucampo Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [SCMP] | | | | | | | | | heck al ا ر | nship of Reportir applicable) Director Officer (give title | g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify | |
|--|--|--|-------------------|---|--|---|-----------------------|--|---|--|--------------------|---------------|---|--|---|---|--|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 4520 EAST WEST HWY, 3RD FLOOR | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/30/2013 | | | | | | | | | | elow) | below ncial officer | |
| (Street) BETHES (City) | | | JS 20814 Zip) | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | ne) <mark>X</mark> | ′ | | | |
| | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans: Date (Month/L | | | | 2A. Deeme Execution Day/Year) if any (Month/Da | | n Date, | Code (Instr. | | | | | | nd S B O | Amount of ecurities eneficially wned Following eported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | |
| | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | | (A) or (D) | Price | Ti | ansaction(s) nstr. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock (ESPP) ⁽¹⁾ | | | | 09/30 | 30/2013 | | | | A | | 253 ⁽²⁾ | | A | \$5.928 | | 1,938 | D | |
| | 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) | Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any | | Date, sy/Year) | | saction e (Instr. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | Expiratio (Month/D | Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Date Expiration Date | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amount or Numbe of Shares | | ount nber | 8. Price Derivat Securit (Instr. 5 | derivative Securities | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The reporting person is voluntarily reporting the acquisition of shares of the isser's common stock pursuant to the Sucampo Pharmaceuticals, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan (ESPP), for the ESPP purhase period of July 1, 2013 through September 30, 2013. This transaction is exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).
- 2. In accordance with the ESPP, these shares were purchased based on 95% of the closing price of the issuer's common stock on September 30, 2013.

/c/ Cary J. Claiborne

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

10/01/2013

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

- * 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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