

EDELMAN JOSEPH

Form 4

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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
EDELMAN JOSEPH

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
INDEVUS PHARMACEUTICALS INC [IDEV]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/15/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

C/O FIRST NEW YORK SECURITIES, LLC, 850 THIRD AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

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

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock <u>(1)</u>	12/15/2005		P	V Amount <u>135,000</u> <u>(2)</u>	A \$ 4.18 1,276,850	I	See footnote <u>(2)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u>	12/16/2005		P	V Amount <u>25,400</u> <u>(2)</u>	A \$ 4.5 1,302,250	I	See footnote <u>(2)</u>
Common Stock <u>(1)</u>	12/15/2005		P	V Amount <u>15,000</u> <u>(3)</u>	A \$ 4.18 131,900	I	See footnote <u>(3)</u>

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Common  
Stock (1) 12/16/2005 P 2,800 (3) A \$ 4.5 134,700 I See  
footnote  
(3)

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**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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5)
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable      Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
EDELMAN JOSEPH C/O FIRST NEW YORK SECURITIES, LLC 850 THIRD AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022			X	
PERCEPTIVE LIFE SCIENCES MASTER FUND LTD 5437 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 100 WASHINGTON, DC 20015			X	
PERCEPTIVE ADVISORS LLC C/O FIRST NEW YORK SECURITIES, LLC 850 THIRD AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022			X	

## Signatures

/s/ Andrew Sankin, as attorney  
in fact

12/19/2005

\_\_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) This Form 4 is being filed by Joseph Edelman, Perceptive Life Science Master Fund Ltd. ("Master Fund") and Perceptive Advisors LLC ("Advisors").

This transaction was effected through Master Fund. Mr. Edelman is the managing member of Advisors, which in turn serves as the investment manager of Master Fund. In accordance with Instruction 4(b)(iv) of Form 4, the entire amount of the Issuer's securities held by Master Fund is reported herein. Each of Mr. Edelman and Advisors disclaims, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, beneficial ownership of such securities, except to the extent of his/its indirect pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that Mr. Edelman or Advisors is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.

(2)

This transaction was effected through an account of First New York Trading, LLC, over which Mr. Edelman has sole voting and dispositive power. Mr. Edelman disclaims, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, beneficial ownership of such securities, except to the extent of his indirect pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that Mr. Edelman is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.

(3)

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