

Flynn James E
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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 *
 Flynn James E

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 780 THIRD AVENUE, 37TH FLOOR
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 03/11/2009

____ Director
 ____ Officer (give title below) 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below)
 Possible Member of 10% Group

NEW YORK, NY 10017

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

(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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 03/11/2009 | | P | | 88,000 | A | \$ 1.21 | 915,421 I ⁽²⁾ Through Deerfield Special Situations Fund, L.P. |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 03/11/2009 | | P | | 162,000 | A | \$ 1.21 | 1,678,544 I ⁽³⁾ Through Deerfield Special Situations Fund International |

Limited

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

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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 Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 3) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
| | | | | 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 |
| Flynn James E 780 THIRD AVENUE 37TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017 | | X | | Possible Member of 10% Group |
| DEERFIELD CAPITAL LP 780 THIRD AVENUE 37TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017 | | X | | |
| Deerfield Special Situations Fund, L.P. 780 3RD AVENUE 37TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017 | | X | | |
| DEERFIELD MANAGEMENT CO /NY 780 THIRD AVENUE, 37TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017 | | X | | |
| Deerfield Special Situations Fund International LTD C/O HEMISPHERE MANAGEMENT (B.V.I.) | | X | | |

COLUMBUS CENTRE, P.O. BOX 3460
ROAD TOWN, TORTOLA, D8 -

Signatures

/s/ Darren
Levine 03/11/2009

**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 the undersigned as well as the entities listed on the Joint Filer Information Statement attached as an exhibit hereto (the "Reporting Persons").
- Deerfield Capital, L.P. is the general partner of Deerfield Special Situations Fund, L.P. (the "Domestic Fund"). James E. Flynn is the managing member of the general partner of Deerfield Capital, L.P. In accordance with Instruction 4 (b)(iv) to Form 4, the entire amount of the Issuer's securities held by the Domestic Fund is reported herein. For purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of any such securities, except to the extent of his/its indirect pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that such Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or otherwise.
- (2)
- Deerfield Management Company, L.P. is the investment manager of Deerfield Special Situations Fund International Limited (the "Offshore Fund"). James E. Flynn is the managing member of the general partner of Deerfield Management Company, L.P. In accordance with Instruction 4(b)(iv) to Form 4, the entire amount of the Issuer's securities held by the Offshore Fund is reported herein.
- (3) For purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of any such securities, except to the extent of his/its indirect pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that such Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or otherwise.

Remarks:

Darren Levine, Attorney-In-Fact: Power of Attorney, which is hereby incorporated by reference to exhibit 24 of the Form 3 filed by the reporting persons on November 27, 2007 with respect to DUSA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

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