

CRITICAL THERAPEUTICS INC

Form 4

September 19, 2005

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Phillips Trevor

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O CRITICAL THERAPEUTICS,
INC., 60 WESTVIEW STREET

(Street)

LEXINGTON, MA 02421

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

CRITICAL THERAPEUTICS INC
[CRTX]

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

09/19/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
COO and SVP of Operations

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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	09/19/2005		S ⁽¹⁾		300	D	\$ 5.84
Common Stock	09/19/2005		S ⁽¹⁾		500	D	\$ 5.87
Common Stock	09/19/2005		S ⁽¹⁾		300	D	\$ 5.88
Common Stock	09/19/2005		S ⁽¹⁾		500	D	\$ 5.89
Common Stock	09/19/2005		S ⁽¹⁾		600	D	\$ 5.9

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Common Stock	09/19/2005	S ⁽¹⁾	1,100	D	\$ 5.91	18,644	D	
Common Stock	09/19/2005	S ⁽¹⁾	1,200	D	\$ 5.92	17,444	D	
Common Stock	09/19/2005	S ⁽¹⁾	100	D	\$ 5.95	17,344	D	
Common Stock	09/19/2005	S ⁽¹⁾	400	D	\$ 5.96	16,944	D	
Common Stock						3,200	I	By children ⁽²⁾

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 Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)
				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
Phillips Trevor C/O CRITICAL THERAPEUTICS, INC. 60 WESTVIEW STREET LEXINGTON, MA 02421	COO and SVP of Operations

Signatures

/s/ Trevor
Phillips

09/19/2005

__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) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on August 9, 2005.

Represents shares held by the children of the reporting person who share the reporting person's household. The reporting person disclaims
- (2) beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. This report should not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these shares for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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