

INCYTE CORP
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FORM 4

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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 *
Hoppenot Herve

(Last) (First) (Middle)
1801 AUGUSTINE CUT-OFF
(Street)

WILMINGTON, DE 19803

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
INCYTE CORP [INCY]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/31/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chairman / CEO / President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership: Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/31/2015		F	(A) or (D) D	Amount 32,297 (1) (2) Price \$ 109.11	349,761 (3) D	

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)

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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
Hoppenot Herve 1801 AUGUSTINE CUT-OFF WILMINGTON, DE 19803	X		Chairman / CEO	President

Signatures

/s/ David W. Gryska,
Attorney-In-Fact

12/31/2015

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Represents shares withheld by Incyte Corporation to satisfy tax withholding requirements due at settlement of restricted stock units previously reported in Table I as common stock.

(2) This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by reporting person.

(3) Includes the following restricted stock units ("RSUs") that have been previously reported: 12,592 granted on January 8, 2015 that vest in full on January 8, 2018, and 266,667 that vest in four equal annual installments over the period ending December 31, 2019, subject in each case to Mr. Hoppenot's continued service with the Issuer through the applicable vesting dates. Vested RSUs will be settled in shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis.

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