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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Cearnal Martin E			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CUMBERLAND	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			PHARMACEUTICALS INC [CPIX]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify			
2525 WEST E	ND AVE.,	SUITE 950	04/07/2017	below) below) Sr VP/Chief Commercial Officer			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person			
NASHVILLE,	TN 37203	3		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

NASHVILLE, IN 3/203

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	04/07/2017		A	11,600 (1)	A	\$ 6.45	142,516	D		
Common Stock	04/07/2017		F	1,959 (2)	D	\$ 6.45	140,557	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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Reporting Owners

Paparting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

10% Owner Officer Other Director

Cearnal Martin E 2525 WEST END AVE. **SUITE 950** NASHVILLE, TN 37203

X

Sr VP/Chief Commercial Officer

Signatures

Martin E. Cearnal by /s/ Michael Bonner as attorney-in-fact

04/07/2017

**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).
- Restricted stock award will vest 100% on March 17, 2021.
- This transaction represents shares withheld by the Company to cover the tax withholding obligations for the vesting of 6,000 shares **(2)** during March 2017.

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