FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* DOMAIN PARTERS VII L P | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Esperion Therapeutics, Inc. [ESPR] | | | | | | | | | tionship of F all applicab Director Officer (q | le) | Person X | , | vner |
|--|---|--|---|------------------------------|--|--|-----------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|----------------------------|---|--|--|---------------------------------------|---|------------|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC ONE PALMER SQUARE | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2013 | | | | | | | | | below) | ive uue | | below) | респу |
| (Street) PRINCE | TON I | NJ | 08542 | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Or | | | | Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (City) | (| State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Table I - Non | -Deriv | ative | Secur | ities Acc | uired, | Dis | posed of | f, or Ber | eficiall | у О | wned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | Execution () if any | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | Transaction Code (Instr. | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a | | | Beneficiall Following | | Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | | | | | | | | v | Amount | (A) o (D) | Price | | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | (Instr. 4) |
| Common | Common Stock | | 07/01/ | 7/01/2013 | | | | | 1,786,012 A | | (1) |) | 1,786,012 | | D | | | |
| Common | Stock | | | 07/01/ | ./2013 P 280,923 A \$14 2,066,935 D | | D | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Table II - D | | | | | , | | osed of, convertib | | , | Ow | ned | | | | |
| 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. Transa Code (8) | | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | on Da | | | | ng | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported | e Ownerships Form: ally Direct (D) or Indirect g (I) (Instr. 4 | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercis | able | Expiration Date | Title | Amount Number Shares | | | Transaci (Instr. 4) | tion(s) | | |
| Series A Preferred Stock | (1) | 07/01/2013 | | С | | | 1,786,012 | (1) | | (1) | Common Stock | 1,786,0 | .012 \$0 | | 0 | | D | |
| Warrant to Purchase Series A Preferred Stock | \$1 | 07/01/2013 | | J (2) | | | 489,320 | | (2) | | Series A Preferred Stock | 489,32 | 20 | \$0 | 0 | | D | |
| Warrant to Purchase Common | \$6.99 | 07/01/2013 | | J ⁽²⁾ | | 70,042 | | (3) | | 02/12/2018 | Common Stock | 70,04 | 12 | \$0 | 70,0 | 42 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. All outstanding shares of Series A Preferred Stock were automatically converted into Common Stock upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering (the "IPO"), for no additional consideration.
- 2. Upon the closing of the IPO the Warrants to purchase Series A Preferred Stock automatically converted on a 6.986-for-1 basis into Warrants to purchase Common Stock, and the exercise price automatically adjusted to \$6.99 per share, pursuant to the terms of such Warrants. This transaction is reported on Form 4 solely for the purpose of reflecting such changes.
- 3. The Warrant is immediately exercisable

Remarks:

/s/Kathleen K. Schoemaker, Managing Member of One Palmer Square Associates VII, 07/02/2013 LLC, General Partner of Domain Partners VII, L.P.

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

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