SEC Form 3

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## **INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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LEVITT DANIEL J			2. Date of Event Requiring Stater Month/Day/Yea 13/06/2014	nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AQUINOX PHARMACEUTICALS, INC</u> [ AQXP ]					
(Last) 50 PARKER A	(First) VENUE	(Middle)			4. Relationship of Reporting Perso (Check all applicable) X Director		on(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	
(Street) SAN FRANCISCO	CA	94118				Officer (give title below)	Other (spe below)		pplicable Line) X Form filed b	/Group Filing (Check y One Reporting Person y More than One erson
(City)	(State)	(Zip)								
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned										
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)				4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned           (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)										
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)			2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securi Underlying Derivative Securit			4. Conversi or Exerci	se Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) e or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Stock Option (F	Right to Buy)		(1)	07/01/2018		Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup>	3,906	10.56	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)			(1)	05/23/2021		Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup>	3,906	5.76	D	
Stock Option (F	Right to Buy)		(1)	05/29/2023		Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup>	3,906	5.76	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option securities subject to this option shall vest and become exercisable at a rate of one-third of the option securities underlying the options on the one-year anniversary of the vesting commencement date and 1/36th of the option securities underlying the options shall vest each monthly anniversary of the grant date thereafter for so long as the recipient of the option provides continuous service to the issuer, such that the total option securities underlying the options shall be fully vested on the three-year anniversary of the vesting commencement date.

2. Each option granted under the issuer's Joint Canadian Stock Option Plan is exercisable for one "option security." Prior to the closing of the issuer's initial public offering, an option security is comprised of one common exchangeable share and one special voting share of Aquinox Pharmaceuticals Inc., a corporation under the Canadian Business Corporations Act. Following the closing of the issuer's initial public offering, an option security will be comprised of one share of the issuer's common stock.

**Remarks:** 

/s/Daniel Levitt

03/06/2014 Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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 5 (b)(v).

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