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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Rueckert William Dodge					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MEI Pharma, Inc. [ MEIP ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MEI PHARMA, INC. 11975 EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 101						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/06/2012							Officer (g below)	(give title		Other (sp below)	ecify
(Street) SAN DIEGO CA 92130					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							- 1	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(5	State)	(Zip)														
		-	Table I - Non-I	Deriva	tive S	Securitie	s Ac	quire	d, Di	isposed	of, or Bene	eficially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans: Date (Month/L				ate	2A. Deemed Execution Date oay/Year) (Month/Day/Yea		e, Transaction Dispose Code (Instr.		urities Acquired (A) or eed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		Beneficially Following	Form:		Direct Ir ndirect B r. 4) O	. Nature of ndirect seneficial ownership		
								Cod	e V	Amount	t (A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and			"	nstr. 4)
	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)	Code (Instr.		Derivative Ex		Expirati	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount Securities Underlyin Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	e s ally	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share	s	Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		<u>'</u>	
Warrants to purchase shares of common	\$1.19	12/06/2012		J <sup>(1)</sup>		2,988,672		(2)		05/10/2017	Common stock, par value \$0.00000002	747,16	B \$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	2,989,38	30 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. On December 5, 2012, Novogen Limited ("Novogen") entered into an agreement (the "Agreement") with the issuer pursuant to which the issuer granted a limited waiver of certain rights pursuant to non-compete provisions contained in the Asset Purchase Agreement, dated as of December 21, 2010, between the issuer and Novogen Research Pty Ltd, a wholly owned subsidiary of Novogen. As consideration for the limited waiver, Novogen agreed, among other things, to transfer to certain of its officers and directors warrants for the purchase of 1,247,168 shares of the issuer's common stock. The reporting person received the warrants reflected in Table II in his capacity as a director of Novogen without the payment of any consideration.
- 2. These warrants are immediately exercisable. Each warrant is exercisable for the purchase of 0.25 shares of common stock, with an exercise price of \$1.19 per whole share.

12/10/2012

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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