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* <u>Cann Leah Rush</u>					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MEI Pharma, Inc. [MEIP]						5. Re (Che		able)	Perso	10% Ow	ner	
(Last)	(F I PHARMA	irst)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/21/2012						Officer ( below)	give title		Other (s below)	pecify		
11975 EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 101				4	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street)	EGO C.	A	92130									Line)	Form fil	•	•	ting Person	
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)														
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
Date			. Transacti ate Month/Day	Execution Date,		te, Transac Code (Ir	3. Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 8)			(A) or 3, 4 and 5	5. Amount Securities Beneficial Owned For Reported	Form (D) or ollowing (I) (In:		Direct Indirect I	7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership		
					Code	V Ar	moun	(A) or (D)	Price	Transactio	saction(s)			(Instr. 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)			Code	saction e (Instr. 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expira Date	ation	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Options to purchase shares of common stock	\$0.71	09/21/2012		A		23,810		(1)	09/21/2	2017	Common Stock, par value \$0.00000002 per share	23,810	\$0	48,97	9	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. One third of the options will vest on September 21, 2013; the remaining two thirds of the options will vest in equal monthly installments over the following twenty four months.

/s/ Leah Rush Cann

09/25/2012

\*\* 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).
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