Catalyst Pharmaceutical Partners, Inc. Form 3 October 23, 2006 FORM 3 UNITED STATES

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> MCENANY PATRICK J			2. Date of Event Requiri Statement (Month/Day/Year)		^{ng} 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Catalyst Pharmaceutical Partners, Inc. [CPRX]					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	10/23/2006		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
220 MIRAC 234	LE MILE,	SUITE			(Check all applicable)					
CORAL GA	(Street) BLES, F	LÂ 33134			_X_ Director _X_ 10% Owner _X_ Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) President and Chief Executive		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-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity			2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Na Owne (Instr			
Common stock, par value \$0.001 per share			per share	3,074,210) DÂ		Â			
Common stock, par value \$0.001 per share				145,922		Ι	By S	pouse		

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Options to Purchase Common Stock	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	729,609	\$ 0.69	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
MCENANY PATRICK J 220 MIRACLE MILE, SUITE 234 CORAL GABLES, FL 33134	ÂX	ÂX	President and Chief Executive	Â				
Signatures								

/s/ Patrick J. McEnany 10/20/2006

<u>**</u>Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- (1) Includes 364,804 options issued on July 1, 2002 and expiring on July 1, 2012, at a price of \$0.69 per share, and 364,805 options issued on March 4, 2005 and expiring on March 4, 2015, at a price of \$0.69 per share.

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