#### BEN MAIMON CAROL

Form 4

August 28, 2006

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BEN MAIMON CAROL			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BARR PHARMACEUTICALS INC					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) BARR PHA	(First)	(Middle) ALS,	[BRL] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/24/2006				_X_ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  President & COO Barr Res			
	CHESTNUT RII	OGE						Tresiden	t & COO Bair I	ics
ROAD										
				4. If Amendment, Date 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		
WOODCLIFF LAKE, NJ 07677										
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year	Execution any	med n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi or(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/24/2006			M	2,356	A	\$ 58.355	16,677	D	
Common Stock	08/24/2006			S	2,300	D	\$ 59	14,377	D	

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

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#### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

5. Number of

Transaction Derivative

6. Date Exercisable and

**Expiration Date** 

7. Title and Amoun

**Underlying Securit** 

Stock

Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amor or Numl of Share
Stock Appreciation	\$ 46.99	08/24/2006		M	20,000	07/27/2006	07/27/2015	Common	2,3:

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BEN MAIMON CAROL BARR PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 400 CHESTNUT RIDGE ROAD WOODCLIFF LAKE, NJ 07677	X		President & COO Barr Res				

# **Signatures**

1. Title of

Derivative

Rights

S/S William T McKee as Attorney-in-Fact for Carole 08/28/2006 Ben-Maimon

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- 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).

#### **Remarks:**

The exercise listed above and sale of corresponding shares are being made pursuant to a Trading Plan, dated July 25,2006 and Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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