FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Addre	Date of Event equiring Staten Month/Day/Year 5/14/2014		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Theravance Biopharma, Inc. [TBPH]									
(Last) 901 GATEWAY	(First) Y BLVD.	(Middle)			Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner				5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
FRANCISCO	CA (State)	94080 (Zip)				Officer (give title below)		Other (spe below)	cify		cable Line) Form filed by	/Group Filing (Check y One Reporting Person y More than One erson
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)						of Securities ly Owned (Instr. 4	.)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Ordinary Shares						3,100,000(1)		D				
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)												
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) 2. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)				ate	Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) Conv			Conve or Exe	rcise Form:		6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	n Title			Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Deriva	tive	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	

Explanation of Responses:

1. As of the date of this report, Theravance Biopharma, Inc. is a wholly owned subsidiary of Theravance, Inc. (NASDAQ: THRX). Theravance has announced its intention to distribute to its stockholders ordinary shares of Theravance Biopharma via a stock dividend. Any Theravance Biopharma shares held by Theravance that are not needed for the stock dividend of one Theravance Biopharma share for every 3.5 Theravance shares outstanding at the record date will be contributed by Theravance Biopharma and will not be outstanding shares immediately following the stock dividend.

Bradford J. Shafer, General Counsel and Secretary

05/14/2014

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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