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 Address of Reporting Person* GLAXOSMITHKLINE PLC			Date of Event equiring Staten Month/Day/Year 5/15/2014		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Theravance Biopharma, Inc. [TBPH]						
(Last) 980 GREAT	(First) WEST ROAD	(Middle)			Relationship of Reporting Person(s) (Check all applicable) Director X 10		er	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
(Street) BRENTFOR MIDDLESE	X ()	TW8 9GS			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	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)									
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned										
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)					
Ordinary Shares				8,736,020(1)(2)	I		By Corporation ⁽³⁾				
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
Expirati		2. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/\	ate	3. Title and Amount of Securi Underlying Derivative Securi	ity (Instr. 4) Con		sion	5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
			Date Exercisable	Expiratio Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivati Securit	ive	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Ordinary Shares to be issued as a dividend to Glaxo Group Limited ("GGL"), an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of GlaxoSmithKline plc ("GSK"), in respect of GGL's beneficial ownership of 30,576,072 shares of common stock of Theravance, Inc. ("Theravance"), as of May 15, 2014, the record date set by Theravance for issuance of the dividend. The dividend of Ordinary Shares of Theravance Biopharma, Inc. (the "Issuer") is being issued by Theravance in connection with its spin off of the Issuer into a separate publicly traded company.
- 2. The amount of the Ordinary Shares includes an undetermined number of Ordinary Shares of the Issuer (the "Withheld Shares") that, based on disclosure by the Issuer, are expected to be withheld in connection with the dividend of the Ordinary Shares to GGL, as well as an undetermined number of additional Ordinary Shares (up to the number of Withheld Shares) that GSK would have the option to purchase under the terms of the Master Agreement, dated March 3, 2014, among the Issuer, GSK and Theravance.
- 3. Ordinary Shares are held of record by GGL, an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of GlaxoSmithKline plc.

/s/ Victoria Whyte, Company Secretary 05/15/2014

** 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 5 (b)(v).
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