FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* THANGARAJ IMMANUEL						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HALSEY DRUG CO INC/NEW [HDGCE.OB										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
															X	Director			10% O	wner	
(Last)	(Fi	rst)	(Middle)		Ľ											Officer (below)	give title		Other (below)	specify	
10001 WOODLOCH FOREST DRIVE SUITE 175						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/08/2003															
(Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
THE WOODLANDS TX 77380														X	Form fil	iled by One Reporting Person iled by More than One Reporting					
(Cit.)	(64	oto)	(7in)													Person					
(City)	(51	ate)	(Zip)																		
		Tal	ble I - Non	-Deriv	<i>r</i> ativ	e Se	curit	ies <i>F</i>	Acqu	ired, I	Disp	osed	of, or B	ene	ficially	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D						Execution D			ate,	3. Transac Code (I 8)						Beneficia Owned Fe	s Formulay (D) (ollowing (1) (1		nership : Direct · Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
										Code	v	Amour	ınt (A) or (D)		Price	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	ction(s)			(Instr. 4)	
			Table II - I										of, or Be			Owned		,			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day/	ate, T		ransaction ode (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisabl Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			e and 7. Title and Amo Securities Under Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s ally	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				c	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Exp Date	iration e	Title		unt or ber of es						
5% Convertible Senior Secured Debenture due March 31, 2006	\$0.34	09/08/2003			P		0(2)		09/0	8/2003	03/3	31/2006	Common Stock	1,70	64,705	\$600,000	0 ⁽²⁾		Ī	By Essex Woodlands Health Ventures Fund V, L.P. ⁽¹⁾	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The reporting person is a managing director of the general partner of the partnership that owns the reported securities. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- $2. \ The \ Number of \ Derivative \ Securities \ acquired \ on \ September \ 8, 2003 \ is \ \$600,000 \ in \ the \ form \ of \ a \ 5\% \ Convertible \ Senior \ Secured \ Debenture.$

/s/ Immanuel Thangaraj 09/10/2003

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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