FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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					or Se	ection	1 30(h)	of the I	Investme	ent Co	ompany Act	of 1940							
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  EDELMAN JOSEPH				BIC	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol BIOSANTE PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ BPA ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director X 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify						
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Common	Stock			10/04/	2004				P		1,400	A	\$	9.7207	23	3,250		I	FNYT Account <sup>(1)</sup>
Common	Stock			10/04/	2004				P		13,100	A	\$	9.7207	1,9	24,850		I	Through Master Fund <sup>(2)</sup>
Common	Stock			10/05/	2004				P		1,700	A	\$	9.8998	24	4,950		I	FNYT Account <sup>(1)</sup>
Common	Stock			10/05/	2004				P		15,800	A	\$	9.8998	1,9	40,650		I	Through Master Fund <sup>(2)</sup>
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C/O FIRST NEW YORK SECURITIES								
850 THIRD AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR								
(Street)								
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(Street)								
WASHINGTON	DC	20015						
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*								
PERCEPTIVE ADVISORS LLC								
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PERCEPTIVE CAPITAL								
5437 CONNECTICUT AVENUE NW STE 100								
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. This transaction was effected through an account of First New York Trading, LLC ("FNYT"). In accordance with Instruction 4(b)(iv) to Form 4, the entire amount of the Issuer's securities held through the FNYT account is reported herein. Mr. Edelman disclaims, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, beneficial ownership of any such securities, except to the extent of his indirect pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that Mr. Edelman is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes. Each of Master Fund and Advisors disclaims beneficial ownership, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, of any such securities.
- 2. This transaction was effected through Perceptive Life Sciences Master Fund ("Master Fund"). Master Fund and its investment advisor, Perceptive Advisors"), are jointly filing this statement with Mr. Edelman, the managing member of Advisors, as indicated in the Joint Filer Information Statement attached hereto. In accordance with Instruction 4(b)(iv) to Form 4, the entire amount of the Issuer's securities held by Master Fund is reported herein. Mr. Edelman and Advisors each disclaims, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, beneficial ownership of any such securities, except to the extent of its indirect pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that Mr. Edelman or Advisors is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.
- 3. These shares are held directly by Mr. Edelman.

/s/ Joseph Edelman 10/05/2004

\*\* 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 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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Joint Filer Information

Names: Perceptive Life Sciences Master Fund Ltd. and Perceptive

Advisors LLC

IRS I.D. No.: 980338943 (Master Fund) 52-2291758 (Advisors)

Address: c/o First New York Securities, LLC

850 Third Avenue, 8th Floor New York, New York 10022

Designated Filer: Joseph Edelman

Issuer and Ticker Symbol: Biosante Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

(BPA)

Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) October 4, 2004

The undersigned, Perceptive Life Sciences Master Fund Ltd. and Perceptive Advisors LLC are jointly filing the attached Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership on Form 4 with Joseph Edelman with respect to the beneficial ownership of securities of Biosante Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

PERCEPTIVE LIFE SCIENCES MASTER FUND LTD.

PERCEPTIVE ADVISORS LLC

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By: Perceptive Advisors LLC, its investment advisor

By: /s/ Joseph Edelman By: /s/ Joseph Edelman

Name: Joseph Edelman
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