Instruction 1(b)

FORM 4

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| | | | or Section So(ii) of the investment Company Act of 1940 | | | | | |
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| | | son [*] | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ANI PHARMACEUTICALS INC</u> [ANIP] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner | | | | |
| (Last) C/O ANI PHAI | (First) RMACEUTICAL | (Middle) S, INC. | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/12/2024 | Image: Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) SR. VP, GENERAL COUNSEL & SEC. | | | | |
| 210 MAIN STREET WEST | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (Street) BAUDETTE | MN | 56623 | | Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication | | | | | |
| | | | Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant t satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See I | o a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to nstruction 10. | | | | |

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | | Form: Direct (D) or Indirect | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
|---------------------------------|------------|---|-------------------------|---|---|---------------|---------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | 07/12/2024 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 250 | D | \$64.91 | 58,981 | D | |

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

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transa Code (8) | | 5. Number of Expiration Date Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | ate | e Amount of | | mount of Derivative derivative scurities Security Securities nderlying (Instr. 5) Beneficially erivative scurity (Instr. Following | | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|---|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-------|--|--|---|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The sale reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on August 11, 2023.

Remarks:

/s/ Meredith W. Cook

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

07/15/2024

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).

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