## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FIRTEL BURTON C					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRO PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ PRW ]							] (Ch	eck all appl	cable) or	ng Per	son(s) to Iss	ner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O PRO-PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 189 WELLS AVENUE, SUITE 200				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/09/2006								Office below	r (give title		Other (s below)	pecify		
(Street) NEWTON MA 02459			4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(3)		(Zip) <b></b>	-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired, D		osed c	of. or Be	neficial	lv Owne				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)			action	ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 Code (Instr. 5)			ed (A) or	5. Amou Securiti Benefic	nt of 6. Of es Formally (D) (I) (II)	Form (D) o	m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
						Code	,	Amount	(A) o	r Price	Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(Instr. 4)			
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																	
Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, To Courting Or Exercise (Month/Day/Year)   Execution Date, Courting Or Exercise   Courting Or			ransaction of I ode (Instr. Derivative (		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Ex Da	piration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$3.75	03/09/2006			A		4,000		03/13/2006	03	/09/2011	Common Stock	4,000	\$0	4,000		D	

**Explanation of Responses:** 

/s/ Maureen Foley, Attorneyin-fact for Burton C. Firtel

03/13/2006

\*\* 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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