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## 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 <sup>*</sup><br><u>STOLL ROGER G PHD</u> |                            |                | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>QUESTCOR PHARMACEUTICALS INC</u> [<br>AMEX: QSC ] |                        | tionship of Reporting Per<br>all applicable)<br>Director                                  | 10% Owner                |
|--|----------------------------|----------------|---|------------------------|---|--------------------------|
| (Last)<br>3260 WHIPPLE   | (First) (Middle)<br>E ROAD |                | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>01/01/2004                                      |                        | Officer (give title below)  | Other (specify<br>below) |
| (Street)<br>UNION CITY<br>(City)   | CA<br>(State)              | 94587<br>(Zip) | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  | 6. Indiv<br>Line)<br>X | idual or Joint/Group Filing<br>Form filed by One Rep<br>Form filed by More that<br>Person | orting Person            |

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and<br>5) |               |       | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------|---|---|---------------|-------|---|---|
|                                 |  |   | Code                         | v | Amount  | (A) or<br>(D) | Price | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  | (1150.4)  |

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

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | 5. Numb<br>of<br>Derivati<br>Securiti<br>Acquire<br>(A) or<br>Dispose<br>of (D) (II<br>3, 4 and | ve<br>es<br>d<br>ed<br>nstr. | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration Da<br>(Month/Day/Y | ate                | 7. Title and Amount<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|---|------------------------------|--|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A)   | (D)                          | Date<br>Exercisable                            | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |   |  |  |  |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy) <sup>(1)</sup> | \$0.63  | 01/01/2004                                 |   | A                            |   | 10,000  |                              | (3)  | 12/31/2013         | Common<br>Stock   | 10,000                                 | (1)   | 166,243  | D  |  |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy) <sup>(1)</sup> | \$0.74  | 01/01/2004                                 |   | A                            |   | 15,000  |                              | (2)  | 12/31/2013         | Common<br>Stock   | 15,000                                 | (1)   | 166,243  | D  |  |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Options granted under the Questcor Pharmaceuticals, Inc. 1992 Employee Stock Option Plan.

2. Options vest 100% at time of grant.

3. Options vest monthly over 48 months from the date of grant.

### <u>/s/ Roger G. Stoll</u> 03/16/2004

\*\* 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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