

Capnia, Inc.  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**MARIO ERNEST**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3 TWIN DOLPHIN DRIVE, SUITE 160

(Street)

REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**Capnia, Inc. [CAPN]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**08/21/2015**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price \$
Common Stock	08/21/2015		P		16,228	A	1.91 <u>(1)</u>
Common Stock							10,416
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See Footnote (2)  
See Footnote (3)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MARIO ERNEST 3 TWIN DOLPHIN DRIVE, SUITE 160 REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065	X	X		

## Signatures

/s/ David O'Toole, attorney  
in fact 08/25/2015

         \*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$1.90 to \$1.92, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Capnia, any security holder of Capnia, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this Footnote 1.
- (2) These shares are held directly by Ernest Mario 2008 Annuity Trust III ("E. Mario 2008 Trust"). Ernest Mario serves as trustee of the E. Mario 2008 Trust and may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of the shares held directly by E. Mario 2008 Trust. Ernest Mario disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held by E. Mario 2008 Trust, except to the extent of such individual's pecuniary interests in the securities.
- (3) These shares are held directly by Mildred Mario 2008 Annuity Trust III ("M. Mario 2008 Trust"). Ernest Mario and Ernest Mario's spouse, Mildred Mario, serves as trustees of the M. Mario 2008 Trust and may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of the shares held

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