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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading LERNER IRWIN Issuer Symbol MEDAREX INC [MEDX] (Check all applicable) (Middle) (Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify 17 EAST GREENBROOK ROAD 07/26/2005 below) (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NORTH CALDWELL, NJ 07006 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common Stock, par 130,000 D value \$.01

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)

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.25	09/05/1997		A	72,000	03/05/1998	09/04/2007	Common Stock	72,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.58	05/21/1998		A	14,000	11/21/1998	05/20/2008	Common Stock	14,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 1.47	10/14/1998		A	40,000	04/14/1998	10/13/2008	Common Stock	40,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 2	06/02/1999		A	14,000	12/02/1999	06/01/2009	Common Stock	14,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.17	05/18/2000		A	14,000	11/18/2000	05/17/2010	Common Stock	14,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 44.07	07/25/2000		A	50,000	01/25/2000	07/24/2010	Common Stock	50,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.47	05/23/2001		A	7,000	11/23/2001	05/22/2011	Common Stock	7,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.625	05/22/2002		A	7,000	11/22/2002	05/21/2012	Common Stock	7,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.4795	07/23/2002		A	28,000	01/23/2003	07/22/2012	Common Stock	28,000

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Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.59	07/24/2003	A	28,000	01/24/2004	07/23/2013	Common Stock	28,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.885	08/11/2004	A	36,000	02/11/2005	08/10/2014	Common Stock	36,000
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.835	07/26/2005	A	36,000	01/26/2006	07/25/2015	Common Stock	36,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
LERNER IRWIN						
17 EAST GREENBROOK ROAD	X					
NORTH CALDWELL, NJ 07006						

Signatures

IRWIN
LERNER

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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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