BAUER GERHARD

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction

1(b).

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may continue.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** BAUER GERHARD			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			BAUSCH & LOMB INC [BOL]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
ONE BAUSCH & LOMB PLACE			(Month/Day/Year) 10/26/2007	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (special below) Senior Vice President			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
ROCHESTER, NY 14604			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zin)					

(City)	(State) (A	Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	ecuriti	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securiti		1	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)	, ,	any	Code	(D)	•		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5)	Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)		Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s)			
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	10/26/2007		D	10,550	D	<u>(1)</u>	0	D		
Common Stock	10/26/2007		M	1,189	A	<u>(2)</u>	0	D		

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)

De Se	Title of erivative ocurity nstr. 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. Transactic 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 Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nur of Sha
	on-Qualified tock Options	\$ 61.9688	10/26/2007		D	2,250	(3)	07/24/2010	Common Stock	2,
	on-Qualified tock Options	\$ 29.845	10/26/2007		D	1,500	(3)	02/25/2013	Common Stock	1,:
	on-Qualified tock Options	\$ 54.26	10/26/2007		D	5,000	<u>(4)</u>	02/02/2014	Common Stock	5,
Pl	nantom Stock	<u>(2)</u>	10/26/2007		M	596	(2)	01/01/2012(2)	Common Stock	5
Pl	nantom Stock	(2)	10/26/2007		M	593	(2)	01/01/2011(2)	Common Stock	5

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BAUER GERHARD ONE BAUSCH & LOMB PLACE

ROCHESTER, NY 14604

Senior Vice President

Signatures

/s/ Robert D. Bailey, attorney-in-fact

10/30/2007

**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) Disposed of pursuant to agreement and plan of merger by and among issuer, WP Prism Inc. (f/k/a WP Prism LLC) and WP Prism Merger Sub Inc. (the "Merger Agreement") in exchange for \$65.00 per share, without interest, less any applicable withholding tax, on the

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effective date of the merger.

- The reported shares of phantom stock were cancelled in the merger pursuant to the Merger Agreement in exchange for a right to receive an amount in cash equal to the product of the number of issuer shares previously subject to such shares of phantom stock and the merger consideration (\$65.00 per share), less any applicable withholding taxes. Each share of phantom stock was the economic equivalent of a share of issuer common stock.
- This option was cancelled in the merger pursuant to the Merger Agreement in exchange for an amount in cash, without interest, equal to (3) the product of (1) the number of shares of issuer stock previously subject to such option and (2) the excess, if any, of the merger consideration (\$65.00 per share) over the purchase price per share previously subject to such option, less any required withholding taxes.
- This option was cancelled in the merger pursuant to the Merger Agreement. Pursuant to the applicable award agreement, this option was exchanged for a cash payment equal to the product of the number of issuer shares previously subject to such option and the excess, if any, of the highest trading price of issuer common stock during the 60-day period concluding on the date of shareholder approval and adoption of the Merger Agreement over the purchase price per share previously subject to such option, less any required withholding taxes.

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