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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Zaremba Rabourn Amy	Statem	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 11/11/2020		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Ocuphire Pharma, Inc. [OCUP]				
(Last) (First) (Middle C/O OCUPHIRE PHARMA, INC., 3 GRAND RIVER AVE, SUITE 120)			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
(Street) FARMINGTON HILLS, MI 48335				X_ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) VP of Finance		6. Individed Applicable X Form f	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)X_Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (State) (Zip)		Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned					wned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)	·	Ben	mount of Sec eficially Own tr. 4)	ed		4. Nature of Indire (Instr. 5)	ect Beneficial Ownership	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) 2. Date Exercisable an Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	rcisable and Date	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Stock Option (right to buy)	<u>(1)</u>	06/03/2030	Common Stock	21,130	\$ 1.65	D		
Reporting Owners								

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Zaremba Rabourn Amy C/O OCUPHIRE PHARMA, INC. 37000 GRAND RIVER AVE, SUITE 120 FARMINGTON HILLS, MI 48335			VP of Finance		

Signatures

/s/ Emily J. Johns, by Power of Attorney	11/16/2020
Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- 2,113 shares vested on July 31, 2020, 2,113 shares vested on August 31, 2020, 1,056 shares vested on September 30, 2020, 1,056 shares vested on October 31, 2020 and the (1) remaining shares vest in equal monthly installments at the end of each month from November 2020 through November 2021, with the balance vesting in December 2021, subject to continued service.

Remarks:

Exhibit 24, Power of Attorney, is attached.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure.

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EXHIBIT 24

POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Mina Sooch, Bernhard Hoffmann, Jeffrey H. Kuras, Emily J. Johns, and Stephanie Swan signing singly, his or her true and lawful attorney in fact to:

- 1. execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, with respect to the undersigneds position as a director and/or officer of Ocuphire Pharma, Inc. the Company, Form ID and Forms 3, 4 and 5 and any amendments thereto in accordance with Section 16a of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules thereunder;
- 2. do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form ID or Forms 3, 4 or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange, stock market or similar authority; and
- 3. take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney in fact, may be of benefit to, and in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney in fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney in fact may approve in such attorney in fact discretion. The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney in fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney in fact, or such attorney in facts substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys in fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigneds responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigneds holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys in fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of November 12, 2020.

/s/ Amy Zaremba Rabourn