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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**September 6, 2011  
DATE OF REPORT (DATE OF EARLIEST EVENT REPORTED)**

**Commission File No. 001-33057**

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**CATALYST PHARMACEUTICAL  
PARTNERS, INC.**

**(Exact Name Of Registrant As Specified In Its Charter)**

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**Delaware**  
(State Or Other Jurisdiction  
Of Incorporation Or Organization)

**76-0837053**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**355 Alhambra Circle, Suite 1370  
Coral Gables, Florida 33134**  
(Address Of Principal Executive Offices)

**(305) 529-2522**  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On September 6, 2011, Philip Coelho, one of the Company's outside independent directors, advised the Company that he has sold 216,546 shares of the Company's common stock in the open market. Mr. Coelho further advised the Company that his shares were purchased by one of the Company's existing institutional investors. Finally, Mr. Coelho advised the Company that his sale of shares related to a need to raise funds in order to capitalize a private business venture and did not relate to any disagreements with the Company on any matter relating to the Company's operations, policies and practices. Mr. Coelho remains a shareholder and a director of the Company.

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

**Catalyst Pharmaceutical Partners, Inc.**

By: /s/ Patrick J. McEnany

Patrick J. McEnany

Chairman, President and CEO

Dated: September 7, 2011