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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Shanmugam Muthusamy</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ANI PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 210 MAIN STREET WEST (Street) BAUDETTE MN 56623 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ANI PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ANIP]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) HEAD OF R&D, COO-NOVITIUM OPS
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/19/2021	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	11/19/2021		A		13,460	A	(1)	13,460	D	
Common Stock	11/19/2021		A		1,332,620	A	(2)	1,332,620	I	Held by Esjay LLC ⁽³⁾

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

Explanation of Responses:

- On November 19, 2021, pursuant to that certain Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of March 8, 2021 (as amended, supplemented or modified from time to time, the "Merger Agreement"), by and among ANI Pharmaceuticals, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Issuer"), Novitium Pharma LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Novitium"), and the other parties thereto, the Issuer completed its acquisition of Novitium. In accordance with the Merger Agreement, an aggregate of 70,250 Company Interests of Novitium held by the Reporting Person were converted into 13,460 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer. The issuance of the shares was approved by the Issuer's board of directors pursuant to Rule 16b-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- In accordance with the Merger Agreement, an aggregate of 6,954,750 Company Interests of Novitium held by Esjay LLC were converted into 1,332,620 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer. The issuance of the shares was approved by the Issuer's board of directors pursuant to Rule 16b-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- The Reporting Person holds voting and dispositive power over the shares held by Esjay LLC.

/s/ Muthusamy Shanmugam 11/23/2021

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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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