

ACORDA THERAPEUTICS INC

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FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
COHEN RON			ACORDA THERAPEUTICS INC [ACOR]			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) President and CEO		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)					
			8/16/2016					
420 SAW MILL RIVER ROAD			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)		
(Street)						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
ARDSLEY, NY 10502								
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. 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	8/16/2013		M		19000 (1)	A	\$2.60	357090	D	
Common Stock	8/16/2013		M		42062 (1)	A	\$2.60	399152	D	
Common Stock	8/16/2013		S		61062 (1)(2)	D	\$34.04 (3)	338090	D	
Common Stock	8/19/2013		M		55993 (1)	A	\$2.60	394083	D	
Common Stock	8/19/2013		S		55993 (1)(2)	D	\$34.02 (4)	338090	D	
Common Stock	8/20/2013		M		31945 (1)	A	\$2.60	370035	D	
Common Stock	8/20/2013		S		26105 (1)(2)	D	\$34.25 (5)	343930	D	
Common Stock	8/20/2013		S		5840 (1)(2)	D	\$34.82 (6)	338090	D	
Common Stock	8/20/2013		M		19461 (1)	A	\$2.60	357551	D	
Common Stock	8/20/2013		M		113141 (1)	A	\$2.60	470692	D	
Common Stock	8/20/2013		M		8176 (1)	A	\$2.60	478868	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g. , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. 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		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 of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V		(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$2.60	8/16/2013		M		19000	(7)	10/17/2013	Common Stock	19000	\$0.00	19461	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$2.60	8/16/2013		M		42062	(8)	9/11/2013	Common Stock	42062	\$0.00	201079	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$2.60	8/19/2013		M		55993	(8)	9/11/2013	Common Stock	55993	\$0.00	145086	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$2.60	8/20/2013		M		31945	(8)	9/11/2013	Common Stock	31945	\$0.00	113141	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$2.60	8/20/2013		M		19461	(7)	10/17/2013	Common Stock	19461	\$0.00	0	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$2.60	8/20/2013		M		113141	(8)	9/11/2013	Common Stock	113141	\$0.00	0	D	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy) (1)	\$2.60	8/20/2013		M		8176	(8)	9/11/2013	Common Stock	8176	\$0.00	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) The stock options listed on Table I, Column 4 and Table II, Column 1 are being exercised because all of these options would otherwise expire in September and October of this year.
- (2) A total of 149,000 of the 289,778 shares issued upon exercise of these options have been sold, the proceeds of which are being used to fund the exercise of these options and the resulting tax liability. The sales referred to in Table I, Column 4 were made pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan.
- (3) The price reported represents the weighted average sales price of shares sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$33.73 to \$34.44 per share. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- (4) The price reported represents the weighted average sales price of shares sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$33.56 to \$34.54 per share. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- (5) The price reported represents the weighted average sales price of shares sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$33.77 to \$34.77 per share. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- (6) The price reported represents the weighted average sales price of shares sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$34.79 to \$34.86 per share. The reporting person will provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the SEC staff, upon request, information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.
- (7) The shares subject to these options vested in installments and were fully vested on April 17, 2005.
- (8) The shares subject to these options vested in installments and were fully vested on March 31, 2005.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
COHEN RON 420 SAW MILL RIVER ROAD ARDSLEY, NY 10502			President and CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Ron Cohen

8/20/2013

** 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).

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