

ACORDA THERAPEUTICS INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Wasman Jane

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ACORDA THERAPEUTICS INC
[ACOR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
15 SKYLINE DRIVE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
06/11/2008

____ Director
 Officer (give title below) _____ 10% Owner
_____ Other (specify below)
Exec VP, General Counsel & Sec

HAWTHORNE, NY 10532

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	06/11/2008		M	3,500 A \$ 5.85	29,664	D	
Common Stock	06/11/2008		S	1,700 D \$ 31.5	27,964	D	
Common Stock	06/11/2008		S	600 D \$ 31.56	27,364	D	
Common Stock	06/11/2008		S	400 D \$ 31.57	26,964	D	
Common Stock	06/11/2008		S	100 D \$ 31.58	26,864	D	

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Common Stock	06/11/2008	S	200	D	\$ 31.59	26,664	D
Common Stock	06/11/2008	S	200	D	\$ 31.64	26,464	D
Common Stock	06/11/2008	S	100	D	\$ 31.65	26,364	D
Common Stock	06/11/2008	S	100	D	\$ 31.66	26,264	D
Common Stock	06/11/2008	S	100	D	\$ 31.71	26,164	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)

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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.85	06/11/2008		M	3,500	11/10/2006 03/17/2016	Common Stock	3,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Wasman Jane 15 SKYLINE DRIVE HAWTHORNE, NY 10532			Exec VP, General Counsel & Sec	

Signatures

/s/ Jane Wasman

06/13/2008

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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