

Pacira Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
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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 *
 Scibetta James S

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O PACIRA
 PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 5
 SYLVAN WAY, SUITE 300

(Street)

PARSIPPANY, CO 07054

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Pacira Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [PCRX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 11/07/2014

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
 SVP, Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| Common Stock | 11/07/2014 | | M | 15,000 | \$ 1.61 | 20,000 | D |
| Common Stock | 11/07/2014 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | 2,300 | \$ 86.13 | 17,700 | D |
| Common Stock | 11/07/2014 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | 8,600 | \$ 86.99 | 9,100 | D |
| Common Stock | 11/07/2014 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | 3,100 | \$ 87.65 | 6,000 | D |

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|--------------|------------|------------------------|-----|---|---------------------------|-------|---|
| Common Stock | 11/07/2014 | <u>S⁽¹⁾</u> | 800 | D | <u>(4)</u> \$ 89.56 | 5,200 | D |
| Common Stock | 11/07/2014 | <u>S⁽¹⁾</u> | 200 | D | <u>(5)</u> \$ 90.33 | 5,000 | 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 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 1.61 | 11/07/2014 | | M | 15,000 | <u>(7)</u> 09/02/2020 | Common Stock | 15,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Scibetta James S C/O PACIRA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 5 SYLVAN WAY, SUITE 300 PARSIPPANY, CO 07054 | | | SVP, Chief Financial Officer | |

Signatures

/s/ James Scibetta 11/12/2014

**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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(1) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan previously adopted by the reporting person in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

(2) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$85.35 to \$86.34, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any shareholder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes 2 through 6.

(3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$86.35 to \$87.34, inclusive.

(4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$87.36 to \$88.28, inclusive.

(5) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$89.05 to \$89.85, inclusive.

(6) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$90.18 to \$90.48, inclusive.

(7) The option vested as to 50% of the options on September 2, 2010 and vests as to the remaining options in successive equal monthly installments for the subsequent 24 months. The options become exercisable, to the extent vested, from and after the issuer's initial public offering.

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