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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Wasman Jane

(First)

420 SAW MILL RIVER ROAD

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ACORDA THERAPEUTICS INC

[ACOR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 12/03/2012

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Middle)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

President, Intl and GC

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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ARDSLEY, NY 10502

(City) (State) (Zip)

12/03/2012

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

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (A)

Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

\$ 7,019 S D (1)

(D)

Code V Amount

97,951

(9-02)

24.2012 (2)

Price

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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	nt of lying ities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene
	Derivative Security				Securities Acquired			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Owne Follo
					(A) or Disposed						Repo Trans
					of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr
					4, and 3)				Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Wasman Jane 420 SAW MILL RIVER ROAD ARDSLEY, NY 10502

President, Intl and GC

Signatures

/s/ Jane Wasman 12/05/2012

**Signature of Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Sales pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan. These sales are primarily intended to cover the tax liability resulting from restricted stock vesting.
- The price reported represents the weighted average sales price of shares sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$23.99 to (2) \$24.70 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.

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