

CAVAZZA PAOLO  
Form 3  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â CAVAZZA PAOLO		(Month/Day/Year)	DOR BIOPHARMA INC [DORB]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
		11/26/2008		
VIA TESSERETE 10			(Check all applicable)	
(Street)			<input type="checkbox"/> Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner
			<input type="checkbox"/> Officer	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
LUGANO,Â V8Â 00000			(give title below)	(specify below)
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person	
			<input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	1,190,770	D	Â
Common Stock	356,100	I	Indirect <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	16,666,667	I	Indirect <sup>(2)</sup>

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02)

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
		Title			

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CAVAZZA PAOLO VIA TESSERETE 10 LUGANO, V8 00000	Â	Â X	Â	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Maurizio Terenzi, Proxy-holder  
authorized 12/03/2008

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Shares directly owned by Chaumiere Consultadoria Servicos SDC Unipessoal L.d.a. ("Chaumiere"), which is an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Aptafin S.p.A. ("Aptafin"). Aptafin is owned by Paolo Cavazza and members of his family.
- (2) Shares directly owned by Sigma-Tau Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (?Pharmaceuticals?). Pharmaceuticals is a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of Sigma-Tau America S.A. (?America?). America is a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of Sigma-Tau International S.A. (?International?). International is a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of Sigma-Tau Finanziaria S.p.A. ("Sigma Tau"). Paolo Cavazza directly and indirectly owns 38% of Sigma Tau.

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