ACORDA THERAPEUTICS INC

Form 4

September 27, 2016

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

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) 420 SAW MILL RIVER ROAD		, ,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/23/2016	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President, Intl and GC		
	(Street)	Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person		
ARDSLEY, NY 10502				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities A open Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and (A) or Amount (D)	(D)	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)
Common Stock	09/23/2016		M	500 (1) A	\$ 8.5	109,271	D	
Common Stock	09/23/2016		S	500 (1) D	\$ 27.3206	108,771	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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	Derivative (Month/Day/Y Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.5	09/23/2016		M	500 (1)	(2)	09/25/2016	Common Stock	500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Wasman Jane

420 SAW MILL RIVER ROAD

President, Intl and GC

Signatures

ARDSLEY, NY 10502

/s/ Jane Wasman 09/27/2016

**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) Exercise and sales pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan. The exercised options were scheduled to expire in 2016 on the expiration date reported within Table II unless exercised.
- (2) The shares subject to these options vested in installments and were fully vested on September 25, 2010.

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