ACORDA THERAPEUTICS INC

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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Blight Andrew			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ACORDA THERAPEUTICS INC [ACOR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 15 SKYLINE	xt) (First) (Middle) YLINE DRIVE		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/05/2008	Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Scientific Officer			
	(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			
HAWTHORNE, NY 10532				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

	Table 1-1001-Delivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, of Deficientially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				equired of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)		S	200	D	\$ 32.02	36,815	D	
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)		S	200	D	\$ 32.01	36,615	D	
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)		S	100	D	\$ 32	36,515	D	
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)		S	200	D	\$ 31.99	36,315	D	
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)		S	100	D	\$ 31.98	36,215	D	

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Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	300	D	\$ 31.97	35,915	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D	\$ 31.95	35,815	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D	\$ 31.94	35,715	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D	\$ 31.92	35,615	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D	\$ 31.91	35,515	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D	\$ 31.88	35,415	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	400	D	\$ 31.87	35,015	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D	\$ 31.86	34,915	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D	\$ 31.85	34,815	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	200	D	\$ 31.84	34,615	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	300	D	\$ 31.83	34,315	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	200	D	\$ 31.82	34,115	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D	\$ 31.81	34,015	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D	\$ 31.78	33,915	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D	\$ 31.72	33,815	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	200	D	\$ 31.71	33,615	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D	\$ 31.65	33,515	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D	\$ 31.5	33,415	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D	\$ 31.49	33,315	D
Common Stock	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D	\$ 31.32	33,215	D
	06/05/2008(1)	S	100	D		33,115	D

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\$ Common Stock 31.31 Common 06/05/2008(1) S 100 D 33,015 D Stock

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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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	5. stionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	5	ate	7. Title Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Blight Andrew

15 SKYLINE DRIVE Chief Scientific Officer

HAWTHORNE, NY 10532

Signatures

/s/ Andrew 06/09/2008 Blight

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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(1) Sale pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan.

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