

ACORDA THERAPEUTICS INC

Form 4

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1(b).**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
PANEM SANDRA PHD

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O CROSS ATLANTIC
PARTNERS, INC., 551 MADISON
AVENUE, 7TH FLOOR**

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
**ACORDA THERAPEUTICS INC
[ACOR]**3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/06/20074. 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)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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	1,630	D	
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	595,846	I	Cross Atlantic ⁽¹⁾

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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Non-employee stock option	\$ 18.21	08/06/2007		A	10,000	09/05/2007 ⁽²⁾ 08/06/2017	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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NEW YORK, NY 10022 X

Signatures

/s/ Sandra
Panem 08/07/2007

**Signature of
Reporting 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).
- Includes 502,188 shares beneficially owned by Cross Atlantic Partners IV, K/S and 93,658 shares owned by Nordea Bank Danmark, A/S.
- (1) Sandra Panem, PhD, is a partner of Cross Atlantic Partners and exercises voting and investment power over these shares. Dr. Panem disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of her pecuniary interest therein.
- (2) The shares subject to this option vest in four equal quarterly installments over 12 months beginning on June 5, 2007, with the first quarter fully vesting on September 5, 2007.
- (3) Pursuant to a contractual arrangement between the reporting person and Cross Atlantic Partners, Inc., the reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of 10,000 shares of these securities.

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