ALIMERA SCIENCES INC

Form 4

September 15, 2014

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Sofinnova Management VIII, L.L.C.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	ALIMERA SCIENCES INC [ALIM] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check al	l applicable)	
3000 SAND H		, ,	(Month/Day/Year) 09/11/2014	Director Officer (give title below)	X 10% Owner Other (specify below)	
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/ Applicable Line) Form filed by One I	1 5	
MENLO PARK, CA 94025				_X_ Form filed by More Person	1 0	

(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - No	n-Derivative Securities Acqui	red, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	lly Owned
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Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	omr Disposed o	of (D)		Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				Form:	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Direct (D)	Ownership
							Following	or Indirect	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported	(I)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code v	Amount	(D)	FIICE			0
Common			~			\$			See
Stock	09/11/2014		C	2,506,270	A	2.66	2,506,270	I	FootNote
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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	on Derivative		Derivative Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Series A Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 2.66	09/11/2014		C		166,667	10/02/2012	(2)	Common Stock	2,506,2

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting owner runner, runness	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Sofinnova Management VIII, L.L.C. 3000 SAND HILL ROAD, 4-250 MENLO PARK, CA 94025		X					
Sofinnova Venture Partners VIII, L.P. 3000 SAND HILL ROAD, 4-250 MENLO PARK, CA 94025		X					
AKKARAJU SRINIVAS 3000 SAND HILL ROAD, 4-250 MENLO PARK, CA 94025		X					
HEALY JAMES 3000 SAND HILL ROAD, 4-250 MENLO PARK, CA 94025		X					
POWELL MICHAEL 3000 SAND HILL ROAD, 4-250 MENLO PARK, CA 94025		X					
Mehra Anand 3000 SAND HILL ROAD, 4-250 MENLO PARK, CA 94025		X					

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/s/ Nathalie Auber, attorney-in-fact for Sofinnova Venture Partners VIII, L.P.

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**Signature of Reporting Person Date /s/ Nathalie Auber, attorney-in-fact for Sofinnova Management VIII, L.L.C. 09/15/2014 **Signature of Reporting Person Date /s/ Nathalie Auber, attorney-in-fact for Srinivas Akkaraju 09/15/2014 **Signature of Reporting Person Date /s/ Nathalie Auber, attorney-in-fact for James I. Healy 09/15/2014 **Signature of Reporting Person Date /s/ Nathalie Auber, attorney-in-fact for Anand Mehra 09/15/2014 Date **Signature of Reporting Person

/s/ Nathalie Auber, attorney-in-fact for Michael F. Powell

09/15/2014

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

**Signature of Reporting Person

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- The securities are owned directly by Sofinnova Venture Partners VIII, L.P. ("SVP VIII"). Sofinnova Management VIII, L.L.C. ("SM VIII"), the general partner of SVP VIII, Srinivas Akkaraju, James I. Healy, Anand Mehra, and Michael Powell, the managing members of SM VIII, may be deemed to have shared voting and dispositive power over the shares owned by SVP VIII. Such persons and entities disclaim beneficial ownership over the shares owned by SVP VIII except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein.
- (2) The Series A Convertible Preferred Stock has no expiration date.
- (3) Distributed without additional consideration to partners in pro rata distributions pursuant to partnership agreement.
- (4) Received as in-kind distribution from Sofinnova Ventures VIII, L.P. distribution made without additional consideration to partners in a pro rata distribution made pursuant to partnership agreement.

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