

IDERA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BAKER JULIAN

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
IDERA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. [IDRA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
667 MADISON AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/07/2016

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

NEW YORK, NY 10065

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock					111,010	I	See footnote (1) (5) (6)
Common Stock	10/07/2016		P		321,404	A	\$ 2 1,003,781 I See footnote (2) (3) (5) (6)
Common Stock	10/07/2016		P		2,928,596	A	\$ 2 9,309,333 I See footnote (2) (4) (5) (6)

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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BAKER JULIAN 667 MADISON AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10065	X			
Baker Bros. Advisors (GP) LLC 667 MADISION AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY New York	X			
BAKER BROS. ADVISORS LP 667 MADISON AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10065	X			
Baker Brothers Life Sciences LP 667 MADISION AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10065	X			
14159, L.P. 667 MADISION AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10065	X			
BAKER FELIX 667 MADISON AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10065	X			
	X			

667, L.P.
 667 MADISION AVENUE, 21ST FLOOR
 NEW YORK, NY 10065

Signatures

/s/ Julian C. Baker	10/11/2016
__Signature of Reporting Person	Date
By: Baker Bros. Advisors (GP) LLC Name: Scott L. Lessing Title: President /s/ Scott L. Lessing	10/11/2016
__Signature of Reporting Person	Date
BAKER BROS. ADVISORS LP Name: Scott L. Lessing Title: President /s/ Scott L. Lessing	10/11/2016
__Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Baker Bros. Advisors LP, Mgmt. Co. and Inv. Adviser to BAKER BROTHERS LIFE SCIENCES, L.P., pursuant to authority granted by Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital, L.P., GP to Baker Brothers Life Sciences, L.P Name: Scott L. Lessing, Title: President /s/	10/11/2016
__Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Baker Bros. Advisors LP, Mgmt. Co. and Inv. Adviser to 14159, L.P., pursuant to authority granted by 14159 Capital, L.P., GP to 14159, L.P. Name: Scott L. Lessing, Title: President /s/ Scott L. Lessing	10/11/2016
__Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Felix J. Baker	10/11/2016
__Signature of Reporting Person	Date
Baker Bros. Advisors, LP, Mgmt. Co. and Inv. Adviser to 667, L.P., pursuant to authority granted by Baker Biotech Capital, L.P., GP to 667, L.P. Name: Scott L. Lessing, Title: President /s/ Scott L. Lessing	10/11/2016
__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).
- (1) As a result of Felix J. Baker's and Julian C. Baker's ownership interest in 14159 Capital (GP), LLC, Felix J. Baker and Julian C. Baker may be deemed to have an indirect pecuniary interest in 111,010 shares of common stock of Idera Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (the "Issuer") beneficially owned by 14159, L.P. ("14159"), a limited partnership of which the sole general partner is 14159 Capital, L.P., a limited partnership of which the sole general partner is 14159 Capital (GP), LLC, due to 14159 Capital, L.P.'s right to receive an allocation of a portion of the profits from 14159. Includes beneficial ownership of 75,905 shares issued pursuant to the Stock Incentive Plan in lieu of director retainer fees, of which the fund may be deemed to own a portion.
 - (2) On October 7, 2016, 667, L.P. ("667") and Baker Brothers Life Sciences, L.P. ("Life Sciences", and together with 667 and 14159 the "Funds") purchased 321,404 and 2,928,596 shares of the Common Stock, respectively of the Issuer, pursuant to an underwritten public offering.
 - (3) After giving effect to the transactions reported herein and as a result of Felix J. Baker's and Julian C. Baker's ownership interest in Baker Biotech Capital (GP), LLC, Felix J. Baker and Julian C. Baker may be deemed to have an indirect pecuniary interest in 1,003,781 shares of common stock of the Issuer beneficially owned by 667, a limited partnership of which the sole general partner is Baker Biotech Capital, L.P., a limited partnership of which the sole general partner is Baker Biotech Capital (GP), LLC, due to Baker Biotech Capital, L.P.'s right to receive an allocation of a portion of the profits from 667. Includes beneficial ownership of 75,905 shares

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issued pursuant to the Stock Incentive Plan in lieu of director retainer fees, of which the fund may be deemed to own a portion.

- (4) After giving effect to the transactions reported herein and as a result of Felix J. Baker's and Julian C. Baker's ownership interest in Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital (GP), LLC, Felix J. Baker and Julian C. Baker may be deemed to have an indirect pecuniary interest 9,309,333 shares of common stock of the Issuer beneficially owned by Life Sciences, a limited partnership of which the sole general partner is Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital, L.P., a limited partnership of which the sole general partner is Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital (GP), LLC, due to Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital, L.P.'s right to receive an allocation of a portion of the profits from Life Sciences. Includes beneficial ownership of 75,905 shares issued pursuant to the Stock Incentive Plan in lieu of director retainer fees, of which the fund may be deemed to own a portion.

- (5) Baker Bros. Advisors LP (the "Adviser") serves as the Investment Adviser to the Funds. In connection with the services provided by the Adviser, the Adviser receives an asset-based management fee that does not confer any pecuniary interest in the securities held by the Funds. Baker Bros. Advisors (GP) LLC (the "Adviser GP") is the Adviser's sole general partner. Julian C. Baker and Felix J. Baker are principals of the Adviser GP. The Adviser has complete and unlimited discretion and authority with respect to the investment and voting power of the securities held by the Funds. The general partners of the Funds relinquished to the Adviser all discretion and authority with respect to the investment and voting power of the securities held by the Funds.

- (6) Julian C. Baker, Felix J. Baker, the Adviser GP and the Adviser disclaim beneficial ownership of the securities held directly by the Funds except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that any of Julian C. Baker, Felix J. Baker, the Adviser GP or the Adviser is a beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or any other purpose.

Remarks:

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Julian C. Baker and Dr. Kevin M. Neu, respectively, a principal and an employee of Baker Bros. Advisors LP (the "Adviser")

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