FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  HARTLEY C KEITH					IDE	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  IDERA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. [ IDRA ]									tionship of Reporting all applicable) Director		10% C		Owner	
. , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/26/2013									Officer (give title below)		Other below		specify		
(Street) GREEN (City)			)6830-3 Zip)	3409	4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Form Form	ual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 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. Transactic Date (Month/Day/						Execution Date,			Code (Ins	Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. and 5)			rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			ties For cially (D) I Ind		n: Direct or ect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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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)		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership	
				Ĭ	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Ex Da	piration te	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	1						
Stock Option	\$1	07/26/2013			A		20,000		(1)	07	/26/2023	Common Stock	20,000	\$0.	.00	20,000		D		

## Explanation of Responses:

1. The option vests in twelve equal quarterly installments over three years from the date of grant, with the first installment vesting on October 26, 2013. The option was automatically granted on the date of the Company's 2013 annual meeting of stockholders at an exercise price equal to the closing price on the date of grant pursuant to the Company's director compensation program.

## Remarks:

/s/ C. Keith Hartley

07/29/2013

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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