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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* AGRAWAL SUDHIR (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O IDERA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 345 VASSAR STREET (Street) CAMBRIDGE MA 02139 (City) (State) (Zip)						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol IDERA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. [IDP] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/10/2006 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									x Direct X Office below	or 10% Owner r (give title Other (specify below) CEO & CSO Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicab filed by One Reporting Person filed by More than One Reporting			wner specify spplicable
		Tabl	le I - No	on-Deriv	ative S	Sec	uriti	ies Ac	quired, E	isp	osed o	of, or E	Bene	ficia	Ily Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day						Execution Date,			3. Transact Code (In 8)						Securi Benefi Owned Follow Report Transa	ties Fo cially (D) I Ind ving (In		nership : Direct r ect (I) . 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock 02/10/2					2006		М		25,0	00	A	\$0 .	.5 177,160			D			
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
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)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	O' F(Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Stock Option	\$0.5	02/10/2006			M			25,000	02/22/2000	02/	22/2006	common stock	25,	000	\$0.00	0		D	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Sudhir Agrawal 02/10/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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