## 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 <sup>*</sup> REARDON WILLIAM S						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol IDERA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. [ IDP]									ck all app Direc	plicable) ctor		Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 9 STEAMBOAT LANE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2007									Offic belo	er (give title w)	Othe	r (specify v)		
						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street) HINGHAM MA 02043												X	K Form	n filed by One	Reporting Pe	rson			
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day					Execution Date,			Code (In	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. and 5)			Secur	icially d	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amou	ount (A) or P		Price	Repo Trans		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
	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 Number E		5. Date Exercisable Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		of D Se (Ii	Price f erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction( (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable	Exp	oiration e	Title	Amou or Numt of Share	ber					
Stock Option	\$8.59	04/01/2007			А	Π	1,250		04/01/2008	04/0	01/2017	Common Stock	1,25	50	\$0.00	1,250	D		

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

William S. Reardon

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Da

04/03/2007 son Date

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

 $^{\ast}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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