FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital (GP), LLC					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol IDERA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. [IDP]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify							
(Last) (First) (Middle) 667 MADISON AVENUE, 17TH FLOOR					 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/27/2008 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable						
(Street) NEW YORK NY US 10021											Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person								
(City) (State) (Zip)																			
Table I - Non-Deriva 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. 5	4. Securities Acq Disposed Of (D) (5)		quired (A) or (Instr. 3, 4 and		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							Code	v	Am	Amount (A) or (D)		Price	Reported Transactio (Instr. 3 a						
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾			06/27/2008				s		33	31,598	D	\$15.41		601,511				Through Partnership ⁽³⁾	
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾			06/30/2008				S	}		5,202	D	\$14.9 9	576,3		309 I			Through Partnership ⁽³⁾	
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾			07/01/2008				s	5		9,835	D	\$14.51	35	566,4	474 I			Through Partnership ⁽³⁾	
		Та	ble II - Derivat (e.g., pu											/ Owned					
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. Transac Code (li 8)	tion	5. Number 6. Da of Expi			Exer ion D	cisable and ate	d 7. Ti Amo Secu Und Deri Secu	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(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Owners Form: Direct (or India (I) (Inst 4)	D) Beneficial D) Ownership ect (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)		ate xercis	able	Expiratio Date	n Title	Amou or Numb of Share	oer						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital (GP LLC																			
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1. Name and Addres BAKER JUL		son*					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)					
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(Street)			_				
NEW YORK	NY	US 10021					
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NEW YORK	NY	US 10021					
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Explanation of Responses:

1. In addition to Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital (GP), LLC, this Form 4 is being filed jointly by Julian C. Baker and Felix J. Baker, each of whom has the same business address as Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital (GP), LLC and may be deemed to have a pecuniary interest in securities owned by it. Because of certain relationships with other security holders of the Issuer, the Reporting Persons are filing solely for informational purposes as if they were members of a group of such shareholders. (Continued in footnote 2).

2. However, the Reporting Persons disclaim that they and any other person or persons, in fact constitute a "group" for purposes of Section 13(d)(3) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or Rule 13d-5 thereunder or that they are the beneficial owners of securities owned by any such other persons, and each of them disclaims beneficial ownership of securities reported herein except to the extent of their pecuniary interest, if any, therein.

3. Represents securities owned directly by Baker Brothers Life Sciences, L.P., the sole general partner of which is Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital, L.P., a limited partnership the sole general partner of which is Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital (GP), LLC. Julian C. Baker and Felix J. Baker are the controlling members of Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital (GP), LLC.

<u>/s/ Julian C. Baker, as</u>	
Managing Member of Baker	07/01/2008
Brothers Life Sciences Capital	$1 \frac{07/01/2008}{2008}$
<u>(GP), LLC</u>	
/s/ Julian C. Baker	07/01/2008
/s/ Felix J. Baker	07/01/2008
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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