## 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> RIGBY ALISON TAUNTON						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>IDERA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.</u> [ IDRA ]									eckallap X Direo	tor		10% C	)wner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 8 FARRAR ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2008									Offic belo	er (give title w)		Other (specify below)			
						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street)														, K Form	Form filed by One Reporting Person					
LINCOLN MA 01773																Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(S	(State) (Zip)																		
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day					Execution Date,			Code (In	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. and 5)			Secur Benef Owne	icially d	6. Owner Form: Di (D) or Indirect (Instr. 4)	rect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amou	ount (A) or (D) P		Price	Repor Trans	ollowing (li eported ransaction(s) nstr. 3 and 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)	ifany		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n Number		6. Date Exercisabl Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)			and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst and 4)		0 [ [ [	. Price If Derivative Security Instr. 5)	Beneficiall	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	t (D) lirect	Beneficial Ownership	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Exp	oiration e	Title	Amou or Numl of Share	ber						
Stock Options	\$13.1	01/01/2008			А		1,250		01/01/2009	01/0	01/2018	Common Stock	1,25	50	\$0.00	1,250	1	)		

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Alison Taunton-Rigby 01/01/2008

\*\* 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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