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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* ZAMECNIK PAUL C					IDE	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol IDERA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. [IDP]										of Reportir icable) or	ng Pe	10% O	wner
(Last)	(First) (Middle) CHESTNUT STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2006									Officer (give title below)		Other (s below)		specify
(Street)					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
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(City)	(S	tate) (Zip)																
		Tab	le I - No	on-Deriv	ative S	Sec	urities	Ac	quired, D	isp	osed o	of, or B	enefici	ally O	wne	d			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)					Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acqu Disposed Of (D) (I and 5)				S B	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
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		Т	able II						uired, Dis , options						ned				
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 a Amount Securitie Underlyi Derivativ Security and 4)	of s ng e	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		piration ite	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option	\$0.61	01/01/2006			A		10,000	П	01/01/2007	01	/01/2016	Common stock	10,000	\$0.	00	10,000		D	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Paul C. Zamecnik 01/03/2006

** 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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