FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SCANNON PATRICK J MD PHD					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PAIN THERAPEUTICS INC [PTIE]							Relationship (eck all applic X Directo	cable)	g Pers	on(s) to Issu 10% Ow		
(Last)	Last) (First) (Middle) C/O XOMA, LTD.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/17/2010								Other (s below)	pecify	
2910 SEVENTH STREET					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) BERKELEY CA 9471			94710									X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)														
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
Date				ansaction hth/Day/Y	ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an		Beneficia Owned F	s ally following	Form (D) or	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
								Code V	Amount	(A) oi (D)	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			mod. 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. Transactio Code (Instr				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Non- Qualified Stock Options ⁽¹⁾	\$6.12	09/17/2010	09/17/2010	A		15,000		10/17/2010	09/17/2010	Common Stock	15,000	\$6.12	160,000	0	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Stock options issued pursuant to the 2008 Equity Incentive Plan are vested over a four year period at a rate of 1/48th per month.

/s/Peter S. Roddy by Power of <u>Attorney</u>

10/04/2010

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).
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