FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES I	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BARBIER REMI						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PAIN THERAPEUTICS INC [ptie]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director X 10% Owner						
(Last)	(Fii	rst) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2008									X	Offic belov	er (give title w) President	below)	(specify			
(Street)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(City)	(St	ate) (.	Zip)												X		m filed by One Reporting Person m filed by More than One Reporting son				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
			Date	te E onth/Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)				1 and Securi Benefi Owned		cially d Following	6. Own Form: (D) or I (I) (Ins	Direct Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	0	(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(IIISU. 4)	
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾				04/01	/2008	/2008					25,000	0	D	\$8.6	88.62(2)		7,000,200		D		
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾				04/02	2/2008	/2008			S		25,000	0	D	\$8.5	5 ⁽³⁾	⁽³⁾ 6,975,200		D			
	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)	rivative Conversion Date Execution Date curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		Date,	4. Transa Code (8)	Instr.	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount nber	t		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ow For Dir or I (I) (nership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This proposed sale is made pursuant to a plan intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1(c), previously adopted on February 7, 2007 when I was not aware of material non-public information.
- 2. Pursuant to a 10b5-1(c) plan, 25,000 shares were sold in thirty-six (36) lots at prices ranging from \$8.32 and \$8.83 per share.
- 3. Pursuant to a 10b5-1(c) plan, 25,000 shares were sold in twenty-seven (27) lots at prices ranging from \$8.39 and \$8.66 per share

<u>/s/ Remi Barbier</u> <u>04/02/2008</u>

** 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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