FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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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*  BARBIER REMI					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol PAIN THERAPEUTICS INC [ PTIE ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issue (Check all applicable)  X Director X 10% Own							
(Last)	(Fil	rst) (I	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/04/2010									X	belov	,	man c	Other (specify below) nan of Board		
(Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Line)	,					
(City)	(St	ate) (.	Zip)												X	Forn	rm filed by One Reporting Person rm filed by More than One Reporting rson				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans: Date (Month/I				ay/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			(A) o 3, 4 a	1 and Secur Benef Owne		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
							v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Pric	е	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)				
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 01/04					/2010	2010 0		01/04/2010			15,900	)	D	\$5	.369	6,406,575		D			
Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup> 01/05/					/2010	2010 0		01/05/2010			19,600	)	D \$		.404	6,386,975		D			
Common Stock <sup>(3)</sup> 01/06				/2010	2010 01		01/06/2010			14,500	D \$		\$5	.402	6,372,475		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)	erivative Conversion Date Execution D ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expiratic (Month/E	on Dat	ar)	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount	Deri Seci (Inst	rice of ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Oi Fo Di (I)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	of	mber ares							

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. This sale is made pursuant to a a plan intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1(c). 15,900 shares of common stock were sold in fifteen (15) lots at prices ranging from \$5.29 to \$5.44 per share.
- 2. This sale is made pursuant to a plan intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1(c). 19,600 shares of common stock were sold in ten (10) lots at prices ranging from \$5.35 to \$5.46 per share.
- 3. This sale is made pursuant to a plan intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1(c). 14,500 shares of common stock were sold in twenty-one (21) lots at prices ranging from \$5.26 to \$5.55 per share.

/s/ Remi Barbier 01/06/2010

\*\* 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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