FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FRIEDMANN NADAV					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PAIN THERAPEUTICS INC [PTIE]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/07/2009										elow) ``	give title ief Opera	be	Other (specify below) ting Officer	
Common Stock(1) Table II - It				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
(City)	(St	ate) (.	Zip)											Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
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Common Stock ⁽¹⁾			12/07	7/2009		12/07/	2009	P		15,000	0	D	\$5. 1	5.189 287,258		258	D			
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																				
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Explanation of Responses:

1. This sale is made pursuant to a plan intended to comply with ruly 10b5-1(c). 15,000 shares of common stock were sold in twenty (20) lots at prices ranging from \$5.10 to \$5.275 per share.

/s/Nadav Friedman

12/08/2009

** 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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