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(Print or Type Responses)									
1. Name and Address of I WEINSTEIN ALAN	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AKORN INC [AKRX]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last) (First)	(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction				(Check all applicable)				
1925 WEST FIELD 300	(Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2015			Officer (give titleOther (specify below) below)					
(Street	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
LAKE FOREST, IL	60045					Person	More than One R	eporting	
(City) (State)) (Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Securities A	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of 2. Transac Security (Month/Da (Instr. 3)	tion Date 2A. Deem ay/Year) Execution any (Month/D	Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securiti onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 Amount	(A) or of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Reminder: Report on a se	parate line for each cl	ass of sect	urities bene	ficially owr	ed directly	or indirectly.			
				Person inform require	ns who restation cont ation cont ed to resp ys a curre	spond to the colle tained in this forn ond unless the fo ntly valid OMB co	n are not rm	SEC 1474 (9-02)	

 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	orDerivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securitie
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities Acquired	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Numbe of Shar
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.61	05/20/2015		D <u>(1)</u>			25,000	(1)	05/21/2015	Common Stock	25,00
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 2.61	05/20/2015		A <u>(1)</u>		25,000		<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	25,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
WEINSTEIN ALAN D 1925 WEST FIELD COURT SUITE 300 LAKE FOREST, IL 60045	Х						
Signatures							
/s/ Joseph Bonaccorsi, attorney-in-fact	05/22/20)15					
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date						
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Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).

Reflects the amendment of an outstanding option solely to toll the expiration date from May 21, 2015 to a date that is 30 days after the shares underlying such option become registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission on a Form S-8 Registration Statement

- (1) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. For reporting purposes, as required by SEC rules, on this Form 4, the amendment is reported as a deemed cancellation of the original option with the May 21, 2015 expiration date and the grant of a replacement option with the new expiration date. The option was originally granted on May 21, 2010 and vested periodically over a period of three years.
- (2) There was no consideration given in exchange for the security.

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