ABRAMOWITZ KENNETH
Form 5
February 14, 2018

FORM 5

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Form 3 Holdings Reported

Form 4 Transactions Reported

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *	2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
ABRAMOWITZ KENNETH	AKORN INC [AKRX]	(Check all applicable)

(Last)   (First)   (Middle)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
12/31/2017

__X__ Director   _____ 10% Owner
_____ Officer (give title below)   _____ Other (specify below)

1925 WEST FIELD COURT SUITE 300

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

LAKE FOREST,Â ILÂ 60045

_X_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)   (State)   (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	09/18/2017	Â	G	1,515	D	$ 0	26,193	D	Â
Common Stock	09/29/2017	Â	G	600	D	$ 0	25,593 (1)	D	Â
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12,490	I	By Spouse
Common Stock	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	235	I	By Kenneth S.

Abramowitz
& Co. [(2)](#)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. of D Se Be O Er Is Fi (I
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ABRAMOWITZ KENNETH 1925 WEST FIELD COURT SUITE 300 LAKE FOREST, IL 60045	Â X	Â	Â	Â

Signatures

/s/ Joseph Bonaccorsi, Attorney-in-Fact	02/14/2018
[**](#)Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Following the reported transaction, the shares beneficially owned directly by the Reporting Person included 10,418 unvested restricted stock units and 15,175 shares owned outright.

(2) The Reporting Person is president of Kenneth S. Abramowitz & Co.

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