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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

Statement

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

(Check all applicable)

(give title below) (specify below)

 RA CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC

(Month/Day/Year) 08/08/2007

(Last)

(Middle)

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

CURIS INC [CRIS]

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

111 HUNTINGTON AVENUE, SUITE 610.Â

(First)

1. Title of Security

(Instr. 4)

(Street)

Director Officer

__X__ 10% Owner Other

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting

Person

X Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

BOSTON. MAÂ 02199

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership Form: (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

Common Stock 7,520,564 Ι See Footnote (1)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

owned directly or indirectly.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. 5. Ownership Conversion or Exercise Form of Price of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Derivative Security:

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Warrants to Purchase	(2)	08/08/2012	Common Stock	2,632,198	\$ 1.02	I	See Footnote (3)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
RA CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC 111 HUNTINGTON AVENUE, SUITE 610 BOSTON, MA 02199	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
ALDRICH RICHARD C/O RA CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC 111 HUNTINGTON AVENUE, SUITE 610 BOSTON, MA 02199	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
Kolchinsky Peter C/O RA CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC 111 HUNTINGTON AVENUE, SUITE 610 BOSTON, MA 02199	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
RA Capital Biotech Fund II, L.P. C/O RA CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC 111 HUNTINGTON AVENUE, SUITE 610 BOSTON, MA 02199	Â	ÂΧ	Â	Â	
RA Capital Biotech Fund LP C/O RA CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC 111 HUNTINGTON AVENUE, SUITE 610 BOSTON, MA 02199	Â	ÂΧ	Â	Â	

Signatures

/s/ Peter Kolchinsky Manager of RA Capital Management LLC,	08/14/2007
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Richard H. Aldrich	08/14/2007
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Peter Kolchinsky	08/14/2007
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/s/ Peter Kolchinsky	08/14/2007
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/s/ Peter Kolchinsky	08/14/2007
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- These shares represent 7,388,202 shares held by RA Capital Biotech Fund, L.P. ("Fund I"), and 132,362 shares held by RA Capital
 Biotech Fund II, L.P. ("Fund II"). RA Capital Management, LLC (the "General Partner") is the general partner of each of Fund I and
 Fund II, and Richard H. Aldrich and Peter Kolchinsky are the sole managers of RA Capital Management, LLC. Each of the Reporting
 Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his or its pecuniary interest therein, if any.
- These warrants are exerciseable for cash, provided, however, that the warrants are not exerciseable to the extent the holder of any such (2) warrant, together with any affiliates, holds or beneficially owns more than 9.99% of the outstanding Common Stock of the issuer, unless such restriction is waived by the holder upon not less than 61 days written notice to the issuer.
 - These warrants represent the right for RA Capital Biotech Fund, L.P. ("Fund I") to acquire 2,585,871 additional shares of Common Stock and for RA Capital Biotech Fund II, L.P. ("Fund II") to acquire 46,327 additional shares of Common Stock, in each case upon the terms
- (3) and conditions set forth in such warrant. RA Capital Management, LLC (the "General Partner") is the general partner of each of Fund I and Fund II, and Richard H. Aldrich and Peter Kolchinsky are the sole managers of RA Capital Management, LLC. Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his or its pecuniary interest therein, if any.

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