Sabat John R Form 4/A December 15, 2006

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Sabat John R

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Last)

(Middle)

AKORN INC [AKN] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

2500 MILLBROOK DRIVE

(Month/Day/Year) 09/13/2006

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

below) below) Sr VP, National Accounts

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) 09/15/2006

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

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

BUFFALO GROVE, IL 60089

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially (D) or Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Amount (D) Price

<u>(1)</u>

Common Stock

Security

(Instr. 3)

09/13/2006

X 24,201 Α

 $195,751 \stackrel{(2)}{=} \stackrel{(3)}{=} D$

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sabat John R 2500 MILLBROOK DRIVE BUFFALO GROVE, IL 60089

Sr VP, National Accounts

Signatures

John R Sabat 12/15/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
- The reporting person exercised 33,333 of the Series A Preferred Stock Warrants (the "Warrants") at an exercise price equal to \$1.00 per share resulting in his acquisition of 24,201 shares of common stock. Each Warrant represents the right to acquire one share of common stock; however, the reporting person exercised the warrants on a cashless exercise basis thereby reducing the number of shares of common stock acquirable upon the exercise of such Warrant.
- (2) Includes additional purchases of Akorn Common Stock through Akorn's Employee Stock Purchase Plan of 975 shares on April 3, 2006 and 419 shares on July 3, 2006.
- (3) 14,411 shares were omitted from the reporting person's initial Form 4 causing the amount of securities beneficially owned to be misstated as 181,340.

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