Synvista Therapeutics, Inc.

Form 3

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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 \*

A Baker Brothers Life Sciences

Capital (GP), LLC

(Last) (First)

667 MADISON AVENUE,

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year) 07/25/2007

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Synvista Therapeutics, Inc. [ALT]

> 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

17TH FLOOR

(Street)

Director Officer

\_\_X\_\_ 10% Owner Other (give title below) (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting

Person

\_X\_ Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NYÂ US 10021

(City) (State)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

(Zip)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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 2. Date Exercisable and (Instr. 4)

**Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security

4. 5. Conversion or Exercise

6. Nature of Indirect Ownership Beneficial Ownership Form of (Instr. 5)

(Instr. 4)

Expiration Exercisable Date

Title

Amount or Number of Derivative Security

Price of

Security: Direct (D)

Derivative

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|   |     |            |                 | Shares    |        | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |                         |
|---|-----|------------|-----------------|-----------|--------|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| Series B Convertible<br>Preferred Stock (1) (2) | (4) | (5)        | Common<br>Stock | 5,950,872 | \$ 2.5 | I                          | Through Partnership (3) |
| Common Stock Warrants (right to buy) (1) (2)    | (4) | 07/25/2012 | Common<br>Stock | 1,487,718 | \$ 2.5 | I                          | Through Partnership (3) |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |       |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|
| <b>F-</b>   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |
| Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital (GP), LLC<br>667 MADISON AVENUE, 17TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY US 10021 | Â             | ÂX        | Â       | Â     |  |
| BAKER JULIAN<br>667 MADISON AVENUE, 17TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY US 10021                                   | Â             | ÂX        | Â       | Â     |  |
| BAKER FELIX<br>667 MADISON AVENUE, 17TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY US 10021                                    | Â             | ÂX        | Â       | Â     |  |

# **Signatures**

| /s/ Julian C. Baker, as Managing<br>Member of Baker Brothers Life<br>Sciences Capital (GP), LLC | 08/03/2007 |      |
|---|------------|------|
| **Signature of Reporting Person   |            | Date |
| /s/ Julian C. Baker   | 08/03/2007 |      |
| **Signature of Reporting Person   |            | Date |
| /s/ Felix J. Baker  | 08/03/2007 |      |
| **Signature of Reporting Person   |            | Date |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- In addition to Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital (GP), LLC, this Form 4 is being filed jointly by Julian C. Baker and Felix J. Baker, each of whom has the same business address as Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital (GP), LLC and may be deemed to have a pecuniary interest in securities owned by it. Because of certain relationships with other security holders of the Issuer, the Reporting Persons are filing solely for informational purposes as if they were a member of a group of such shareholders. (Continued in footnote 2).
- However, the Reporting Persons disclaim that they and any other person or persons, in fact constitute a "group" for purposes of Section 13(d)(3) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or Rule 13d-5 thereunder or that they are the beneficial owners of securities owned by any such other persons, and each of them disclaims beneficial ownership of securities reported herein except to the extent of their pecuniary interest, if any, therein.
- (3) Represents securities owned directly by Baker Brothers Life Sciences, L.P., the sole general partner of which is Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital, L.P., a limited partnership the sole general partner of which is Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital (GP),LLC. Julian

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- C. Baker and Felix J. Baker are the controlling members of Baker Brothers Life Sciences Capital (GP), LLC.
- (4) Immediately
- **(5)** None

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