

Irish Stephanie Rast
Form 4
May 07, 2009

FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Irish Stephanie Rast

(Last) (First) (Middle)

9605 MEDICAL CENTER DRIVE,
SUITE 300

(Street)

ROCKVILLE, MD 20850

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

Vanda Pharmaceuticals Inc. [VNDA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)

05/06/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)

Sr. VP, Acting CFO/Treasurer

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

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)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. I

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(In
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	05/06/2009	A		20,000		(1)	(2)	Common Stock	20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Irish Stephanie Rast 9605 MEDICAL CENTER DRIVE, SUITE 300 ROCKVILLE, MD 20850	Sr. VP, Acting CFO/Treasurer

Signatures

/s/ Stephanie R.
Irish 05/07/2009

__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 Restricted Stock Units represented a contingent right to receive a share of the Issuer's common stock which vested upon the Issuer's
- (1) receipt of approval by the United States Food & Drug Administration of its New Drug Application for Fanapt(TM)(iloperidone) on May 6, 2009.
 - (2) N/A
 - (3) On January 20, 2009, the Reporting Person filed a Form 3 which stated that the Reporting Person owned 40,000 shares of Restricted Common Stock which had not vested as of such date. The 20,000 Restricted Stock Units reported herein were included in such aggregate number of securities reported as being owned by the Reporting Person.

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