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February 17, 2009

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G/A
(Rule 13d-102)

Amendment No. 2

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS PURSUANT TO RULES 13d-1(b), (c)
AND (d) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO 13d-2 UNDER THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

ACORDA THERAPEUTICS, INC.
(Name of Issuer)

COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$0.001 PER SHARE
(Title of Class of Securities)

00484M106
(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2008
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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Act of 1934 (the "Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section
of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see
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(1) NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON
Davidson Kempner Partners

(2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(a) []
(b) [X]

(3) SEC USE ONLY

(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
New York

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES 0

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
OWNED BY 0

EACH (7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
REPORTING 0

PERSON WITH (8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
0

(10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT
IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES []

(11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED
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0.0%

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Davidson Kempner Institutional Partners, L.P.

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(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
Delaware

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES 0

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
OWNED BY 0

EACH (7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
REPORTING 0

PERSON WITH (8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
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(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
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M. H. Davidson & Co.

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(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
New York

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES 0

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
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OWNED BY _____
EACH (7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
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(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
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Davidson Kempner International, Ltd.

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(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
British Virgin Islands

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
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SHARES _____
BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
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OWNED BY _____
EACH (7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
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PERSON WITH (8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
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(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED

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BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

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Serena Limited

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(b) [X]

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(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
Cayman Islands

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES 0

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
OWNED BY 0

EACH (7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
REPORTING 0

PERSON WITH (8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
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Davidson Kempner Healthcare Fund LP

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Delaware

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Cayman Islands

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MHD Management Co.

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Davidson Kempner Advisers Inc.

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Davidson Kempner International Advisors, L.L.C.

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Delaware

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SHARES _____
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DK Group LLC

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DK Management Partners LP

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DK Stillwater GP LLC

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Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.

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(b) [X]

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United States

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Marvin H. Davidson

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REPORTING _____

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Stephen M. Dowicz

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United States

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PERSON WITH (8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
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Scott E. Davidson

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Michael J. Leffell

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Timothy I. Levart

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Robert J. Brivio, Jr.

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Eric P. Epstein

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Anthony A. Yoseloff

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PERSON WITH (8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
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(12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
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(1) NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON
Avram Z. Friedman

(2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(a) []
(b) [X]

(3) SEC USE ONLY

(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
United States

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES 0

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
OWNED BY 0

EACH (7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
REPORTING 0

PERSON WITH (8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
0

(10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT

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IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES []

(11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED
BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 0.0%

(12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
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(1) NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON
Conor Bastable

(2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(a) []
(b) [X]

(3) SEC USE ONLY

(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION
United States

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES 0

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
OWNED BY 0

EACH (7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
REPORTING 0

PERSON WITH (8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 0

(10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT
IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES []

(11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED
BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 0.0%

(12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON
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ITEM 1(a). NAME OF ISSUER:

Acorda Therapeutics, Inc. (the "Company")

ITEM 1(b). ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES:

15 Skyline Drive
Hawthorne, NY 10532

ITEM 2(a). NAME OF PERSON FILING:

This Statement is filed by each of the entities and persons listed below, all of whom together are referred to herein as the "Reporting Persons":

- (i) Davidson Kempner Partners, a New York limited partnership ("DKP");
- (ii) Davidson Kempner Institutional Partners, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("DKIP");
- (iii) M. H. Davidson & Co., a New York limited partnership ("CO");
- (iv) Davidson Kempner International, Ltd., a British Virgin Islands corporation ("DKIL");
- (v) Serena Limited, a Cayman Islands corporation ("Serena");
- (vi) Davidson Kempner Healthcare Fund LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("DKHF");
- (vii) Davidson Kempner Healthcare International Ltd., a Cayman Islands corporation ("DKHI");
- (viii) MHD Management Co., a New York limited partnership and the general partner of DKP ("MHD");
- (ix) Davidson Kempner Advisers Inc., a New York corporation and the general partner of DKIP ("DKAI"), which is registered as an investment adviser with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission;
- (x) Davidson Kempner International Advisors, L.L.C., a Delaware limited liability company and the manager of DKIL and Serena ("DKIA");
- (xi) DK Group LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and the general partner of DKHF ("DKG");
- (xii) DK Management Partners LP, a Delaware limited partnership and the investment manager of DKHI ("DKMP");
- (xiii) DK Stillwater GP LLC, a Delaware limited liability

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company and the general partner of DKMP ("DKS"); and

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- (xiv) Messrs. Thomas L. Kempner, Jr., Marvin H. Davidson, Stephen M. Dowicz, Scott E. Davidson, Michael J. Leffell, Timothy I. Levart, Robert J. Brivio, Jr., Anthony A. Yoseloff, Eric P. Epstein, Avram Z. Friedman and Conor Bastable (collectively, the "Principals"), who are the general partners of CO and MHD, the sole managing members of DKIA and DKG and the sole stockholders of DKAI. Messrs. Thomas L. Kempner, Jr. and Timothy I. Levart are Executive Managing Member and Deputy Executive Managing Member, respectively, of DKS. Each of Messrs. Kempner and Levart, together with Messrs. Marvin H. Davidson, Stephen M. Dowicz, Scott E. Davidson, Michael J. Leffell, Robert J. Brivio, Jr., Anthony A. Yoseloff, Eric P. Epstein, Avram Z. Friedman and Conor Bastable are limited partners of DKMP.

ITEM 2(b). ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE:

The address of the principal business office of each of the Reporting Persons is c/o Davidson Kempner Partners, 65 East 55th Street, 19th Floor, New York, New York 10022.

ITEM 2(c). CITIZENSHIP:

- (i) DKP - a New York limited partnership
- (ii) DKIP - a Delaware limited partnership
- (iii) CO - a New York limited partnership
- (iv) DKIL - a British Virgin Islands corporation
- (v) Serena - a Cayman Islands corporation
- (vi) DKHF - a Delaware limited partnership
- (vii) DKHI - a Cayman Islands corporation
- (viii) MHD - a New York limited partnership
- (ix) DKAI - a New York corporation
- (x) DKIA - a Delaware limited liability company
- (xi) DKG - a Delaware limited liability company
- (xii) DKMP - a Delaware limited partnership
- (xiii) DKS - a Delaware limited liability company
- (xiv) Thomas L. Kempner, Jr. - United States
- (xv) Marvin H. Davidson - United States

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(xvi) Stephen M. Dowicz - United States

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(xvii) Scott E. Davidson -United States

(xviii) Michael J. Leffell - United States

(xix) Timothy I. Levart - United Kingdom & United States

(xx) Robert J. Brivio, Jr. - United States

(xxi) Eric P. Epstein - United States

(xxii) Anthony A. Yoseloff - United States

(xxiii) Avram Z. Friedman - United States

(xxiv) Conor Bastable - United States

ITEM 2(d). TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES:

COMMON STOCK, PAR VALUE \$0.001 PER SHARE

ITEM 2(e). CUSIP NUMBER:

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ITEM 3. IF THIS STATEMENT IS FILED PURSUANT TO 13d-1(b) OR 13d-2(b) OR (c),
CHECK WHETHER THE PERSON FILING IS A:

- (a) Broker or dealer registered under Section 15of the Act;
- (b) Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the Act;
- (c) Insurance Company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Act;
- (d) Investment Company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940;
- (e) Investment Adviser registered under Section 203 of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940: see Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
- (f) Employee Benefit Plan, Pension Fund which is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 or Endowment Fund; see Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);
- (g) Parent Holding Company, in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(ii)(G);
- (h) Savings Associations as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act;

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- (i) Church Plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under Section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940;

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- (j) Group, in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).

ITEM 4. OWNERSHIP.

A. DKP

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 0
- (b) Percent of class: 0.0%
- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
 - (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
 - (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
 - (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0
 - (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

B. DKIP

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 0
- (b) Percent of class: 0.0%
- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
 - (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
 - (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
 - (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0
 - (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

C. CO

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 0
- (b) Percent of class: 0.0%
- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
 - (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
 - (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
 - (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

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(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

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D. DKIL

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

E. Serena

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

F. DKHF

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

G. DKHI

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

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(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

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(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

- (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0
- (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

H. MHD

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

- (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0
- (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

I. DKAI

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

- (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0
- (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

J. DKIA

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

- (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

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- (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0
- (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

K. DKG

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 0
- (b) Percent of class: 0.0%
- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
 - (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
 - (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
 - (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0
 - (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

L. DKMP

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 0
- (b) Percent of class: 0.0%
- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
 - (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
 - (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
 - (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0
 - (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

M. DKS

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: 0
- (b) Percent of class: 0.0%
- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
 - (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
 - (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
 - (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

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(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

N. Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

O. Marvin H. Davidson

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

P. Stephen M. Dowicz

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

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Q. Scott E. Davidson

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

R. Michael J. Leffell

(a) Amount beneficially owned. 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

S. Timothy I. Levart

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

T. Robert J. Brivio, Jr.

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

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(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

- (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0
- (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

U. Eric P. Epstein

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

- (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0
- (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

V. Anthony A. Yoseloff

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

- (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0
- (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

W. Avram Z. Friedman

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

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(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

- (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0
- (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

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(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

X. Conor Bastable

(a) Amount beneficially owned: 0

(b) Percent of class: 0.0%

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote: 0

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

ITEM 5. OWNERSHIP OF FIVE PERCENT OR LESS OF A CLASS.

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following [X].

ITEM 6. OWNERSHIP OF MORE THAN FIVE PERCENT ON BEHALF OF ANOTHER PERSON.

Not applicable.

ITEM 7. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSIDIARY WHICH ACQUIRED THE SECURITY BEING REPORTED ON BY THE PARENT HOLDING COMPANY.

Not applicable.

ITEM 8. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF MEMBERS OF THE GROUP.

See Item 4.

ITEM 9. NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF GROUP.

Not applicable.

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ITEM 10. CERTIFICATION. (if filing pursuant to Rule 13d-1(c))

Each of the Reporting Persons hereby makes the following certification:

By signing below we certify that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of our knowledge and belief, the undersigned certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

DATED: February 17, 2009

DAVIDSON KEMPNER PARTNERS
By: MHD Management Co.,
its General Partner

/s/ Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.

Name: Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.
Title: Managing Partner

DAVIDSON KEMPNER INSTITUTIONAL
PARTNERS, L.P.
By: Davidson Kempner Advisers Inc.,
its General Partner

/s/ Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.

Name: Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.
Title: President

M.H. DAVIDSON & CO.

/s/ Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.

Name: Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.
Title: Managing Partner

DAVIDSON KEMPNER INTERNATIONAL, LTD.
By: Davidson Kempner International Advisors,
L.L.C.,
its Investment Manager

/s/ Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.

Name: Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.
Title: Executive Managing Member

SERENA LIMITED
By: Davidson Kempner International Advisors,
L.L.C.,
its Investment Manager

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DAVIDSON KEMPNER HEALTHCARE
FUND LP
By: DK Group LLC,
its General Partner

/s/ Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.

Name: Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.
Title: Executive Managing Member

DAVIDSON KEMPNER HEALTHCARE
INTERNATIONAL LTD.
By: DK Management Partners LP,
its Investment Manager
By: DK Stillwater GP LLC,
its general partner

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DAVIDSON KEMPNER INTERNATIONAL
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Name: Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.
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DK GROUP LLC

/s/ Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.

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DK MANAGEMENT PARTNERS LP

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By: DK Stillwater GP LLC,
its general partner

/s/ Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.

Name: Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.
Title: Executive Managing Member

DK STILLWATER GP LLC

/s/ Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.

Name: Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.
Title: Executive Managing Member

/s/ Thomas L. Kempner, Jr.

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/s/ Conor Bastable

Conor Bastable

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EXHIBIT 1

JOINT ACQUISITION STATEMENT

PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-1(k)

The undersigned acknowledge and agree that the foregoing statement on Schedule 13G is filed on behalf of each of the undersigned and that all subsequent amendments to this statement on Schedule 13G, shall be filed on behalf of each of the undersigned without the necessity of filing additional joint acquisition statements. The undersigned acknowledge that each shall be responsible for the timely filing of such amendments, and for the completeness and accuracy of the information concerning him or it contained therein, but shall not be responsible for the completeness and accuracy of the information concerning the others, except to the extent that he or it knows or has reason to believe that such information is inaccurate.

DATED: February 17, 2009

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SERENA LIMITED
By: Davidson Kempner International Advisors,
L.L.C.,
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Michael J. Leffell

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