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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

Stock (1) (2)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading 14159 capital (GP), LLC Symbol

(Middle)

Ardea Biosciences, Inc./DE [RDEA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

667 MADISON AVENUE, 17TH **FLOOR**

(Street)

01/20/2011

(First)

(Month/Day/Year) 01/20/2011

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

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

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3. Date of Earliest Transaction

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

NEW YORK, NY US 10021

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities 5. Amount of 7. Nature of 3. TransactionAcquired (A) or Ownership Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Securities Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A)

9.815

A

Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price

\$ 26 93,282

Code V Amount Common

Through I Partnership

(3)

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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| | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exerc | | 7. Titl | | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
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| Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | Transact Code (Instr. 8) | orNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | : | | Amou Under Securi (Instr. | lying | Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| Topotting of the Figure 1 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| 14159 capital (GP), LLC 667 MADISON AVENUE, 17TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY US 10021 | X | X | | | | |
| BAKER JULIAN 667 MADISON AVENUE, 17TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY US 10021 | X | X | | | | |
| BAKER FELIX 667 MADISON AVENUE, 17TH FLOOR NEW YORK NY US 10021 | X | X | | | | |

Signatures

| /s/ Julian C. Baker, a LLC | 01/24/2011 | |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|------------|
| | **Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| /s/ Julian C. Baker | | 01/24/2011 |
| | **Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| /s/ Felix J. Baker | | 01/24/2011 |
| | **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).
- In addition to 14159 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 14159 Capital (GP), LLC and may be deemed to have a pecuniary interest in securities owned by it. Felix J. Baker is a director of the Issuer. Because of certain relationships with other security holders of the Issuer, the Reporting Persons are filing solely for informational purposes as if they were members of a group of such shareholders. (Continued in footnote 2).

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Reporting Owners 2

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Represents securities owned directly by 14159, L.P., the sole general partner of which is 14159 Capital, L.P., a limited partnership the sole general partner of which is 14159 Capital (GP),LLC. Julian C. Baker and Felix J. Baker are the controlling members of 14159 Capital (GP), LLC.

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