STACK DAVID M Form 4

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

Common

Stock

05/15/2018

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

STACK DAVID M			Symbol	Symbol					Issuer			
			Pacira	Pacira Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [PCRX]					(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					11	ar approacto)			
			(Month/	(Month/Day/Year)					_X_ Director	10	0% Owner	
			05/15/2	05/15/2018					X Officer (give title Other (specify			
PHARMA	CEUTICALS,	INC., 5		05/15/2010				below) below) CEO and Chairman				
	WAY, SUITE								CE	O and Chairin	an	
	(Street)		1 If Am	endment	D	ate Origina	1		6 Individual or l	Ioint/Group Fi	ling(Chack	
	(Sirect)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)			
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PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054									Form filed by More than One Reporting			
111101111	1111,113 0705	•							Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tak	ole I - No	n-E	Derivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Benefici	ially Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction I	Date 2A. Deer	med	3.		4. Securit			5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Ye		n Date, if						Securities	Ownership Form:	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	D/W	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5)	Beneficially Owned	Beneficial			
		(Month)	Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	3)				Following	Direct (D) or Indirect	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Reported	(I)	(1115111 1)	
							(A)		Transaction(s)	(Instr. 4)		
				Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common	0.5/4.5/0.40						, ,			_		
Stock	05/15/2018			M(1)		15,000	A	\$ 5.49	115,446	D		
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Common	05/15/2018			$M_{(1)}^{(1)}$		10,000	A	\$	125,446	D		
Stock				_		,		10.81	•			
C								\$				
Common	05/15/2018			S(1)		21,106	D	33.69	104,340	D		
Stock								(2)				

 $S^{(1)}$

3,894

\$

(3)

34.34

100,446

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Common Stock	18,596	I	By Stack Schroon Mohawk FLP (4)
Common Stock	1,208	I	By LCK Investment LLC (4)

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 (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day,	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 I S ((
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 5.49	05/15/2018		M	15,000	<u>(5)</u>	12/29/2020	Common Stock	15,000	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.81	05/15/2018		M	10,000	<u>(6)</u>	06/05/2022	Common Stock	10,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
STACK DAVID M							
C/O PACIRA PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.	X		CEO and				
5 SYLVAN WAY, SUITE 300	Λ		Chairman				
PARSIPPANY NI 07054							

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Signatures

/s/ Kristen Williams, Attorney-in-Fact

05/17/2018

**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 option exercises and sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan previously adopted by the reporting person in accordance with Rule 10b5-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$33.10 to \$34.08, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any shareholder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes 2 and 3.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$34.10 to \$34.90, inclusive.
- (4) Mr. Stack is the general partner of Stack Schroon Mohawk FLP. Mr. Stack and his wife are the owners of LCK Investment LLC.
- (5) The stock option vested as to 25% of the option shares on December 29, 2011 and as to the remaining shares in successive equal monthly installments for the subsequent 36 months.
- (6) The stock option vested as to 25% of the option shares on June 5, 2013 and as to the remaining shares in successive equal monthly installments for the subsequent 36 months.
- (7) Reflects the transfer of stock options to purchase 23,481 shares of common stock previously held indirectly by the reporting person through LCK Investment LLC to the reporting person directly.

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