FUCHS HENRY J

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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** Form 4 or

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **FUCHS HENRY J**

(First)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Ardea Biosciences, Inc./DE [IBPI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

1009 OAK HILL ROAD, SUITE 201 01/03/2007

(Zip)

(Middle)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Person Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

5. Amount of

Issuer

below)

Director

Applicable Line)

Officer (give title

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Instr. 3)

LAFAYETTE, CA 94549

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following (A) or

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 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 Conversion Security or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

5. Number of 4. TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(Instr. 4)

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

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

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Indirect

Estimated average

burden hours per

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Derivative or Disposed of Security (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Amount Exercisable Date or Number of Shares Stock Option Common 01/02/2017 \$ 4.24 (1) 01/03/2007 A 12,500 12,500 Stock (Right to Buy)

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| FUCHS HENRY J 1009 OAK HILL ROAD SUITE 201 LAFAYETTE, CA 94549 | X | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Henry J.
Fuchs

**Signature of Reporting Person

O1/05/2007

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).
- (1) Immediate.

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