ACORDA THERAPEUTICS INC Form 8-K September 06, 2007

## **UNITED STATES**

### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

# FORM 8-K

### **CURRENT REPORT**

### Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported): September 5, 2007

# Acorda Therapeutics, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 000-50513 (Commission File Number) 13-3831168

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

15 Skyline Drive, Hawthorne, NY

(Address of principal executive offices)

**10532** (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (914) 347-4300

#### Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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#### Item 8.01 Other Events.

On September 5, 2007, Acorda Therapeutics, Inc. (the Company ), issued a press release announcing its receipt of a Paragraph IV Certification Notice from Apotex Inc. advising the Company of the filing of an Abbreviated New Drug Application ( ANDA ) for generic versions of the three dosage strengths of Zanaflex Capsules . A copy of the Company s press release is filed as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and is incorporated by reference into this Item 8.01.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

ExhibitNumberDescription99.1Press Release issued September 5, 2007 by Acorda Therapeutics, Inc.

#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Acorda Therapeutics, Inc.

September 5, 2007

By:

/s/ David Lawrence Name: David Lawrence, M.B.A. Title: Chief Financial Officer

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