THERAVANCE INC Form 4

January 31, 2008

FORM 4

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

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may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

THERAVANCE INC [THRX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

01/29/2008

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Mammen Mathai

> (First) (Middle)

THERAVANCE, INC., 901 GATEWAY BLVD.

(Street)

(State)

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) below)

Senior VP, Research

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

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

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3.	4. Securiti		5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	(Wolldin Dayr Tear)	any	Code	(D)	posed of	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)	Reported		
					(A)	Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D) Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common	01/00/0000			11.000		60.060	-	

01/29/2008 A 11,000 A \$0 69,069 D Stock

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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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed		4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exe	6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount of	
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionDerivative		Expiration 1	Expiration Date		Underlying Securities	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day	(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or					
	Derivative				Disposed of (D)					
	Security			(Instr. 3, 4, and						
	~				5)					
				Code V	ŕ	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 19.8	01/29/2008		A	100,000	<u>(1)</u>	01/28/2018	Common Stock	100,000	

Senior VP,

Research

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Mammen Mathai

THERAVANCE, INC. 901 GATEWAY BLVD. SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

Signatures

Mathai 01/31/2008 Mammen

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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) The option becomes exercisable for the shares in a series of 48 equal installments. The option shall be fully vested and exercisable on the 4-year anniversary of the grant date provided optionee remains in continuous service through such date.

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