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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

See Instruction Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 1(b). Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Form 4

Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of

securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

MEYER STEVEN J		Symbol	Symbol AKORN INC [AKRX]			_	Issuer (Charle all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (M	(Month/l	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2011				(Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify				
1925 WEST F COURT, SU							pelow)	below)			
(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						(6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (check applicable line)				
LAKE FOREST, IL 60045 _X_ Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person											
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Secur. (A) or D (D) (Instr. 3,	4 and (A) or	ed of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	08/10/2011	Â	G	8,000	D	\$ 7.61	8,000	I	See footnote (1)		
Common Stock	12/09/2011	Â	G	5,000	D	\$ 10.9	13,000	I	See footnote (1)		

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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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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MEYER STEVEN J 1925 WEST FIELD COURT SUITE 300 LAKE FOREST, IL 60045	ÂX	Â	Â	Â		

Signatures

Steven J Meyer 02/15/2012

**Signature of Person 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) Securities transferred and held for benefit in account of charitable organization.

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