

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>DP VI Associates, L.P.</u>	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 10/24/2006	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CADENCE PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ CADX ]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)
(Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC</u> <u>ONE PALMER SQUARE</u>			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(Street) <u>PRINCETON NJ</u> <u>08542</u>			
(City) (State) (Zip)			

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
<u>Series A-1 Preferred Stock</u>	(1)	(1)	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>10,575<sup>(2)</sup></u>	(1)	<u>D</u>	
<u>Series A-2 Preferred Stock</u>	(1)	(1)	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>16,873<sup>(2)</sup></u>	(1)	<u>D</u>	
<u>Series A-3 Preferred Stock</u>	(1)	(1)	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>33,136<sup>(2)</sup></u>	(1)	<u>D</u>	

## Explanation of Responses:

- All outstanding shares of the Issuer's preferred stock will automatically convert into Common Stock immediately upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering, for no additional consideration.
- Reflects the 4 for 1 reverse split of the Common Stock effected prior to the effectiveness of the registration statement filed in connection with the Issuer's initial public offering.

## Remarks:

/s/Kathleen K. Schoemaker,  
Managing Member of One  
Palmer Square Associates VI, 10/24/2006  
L.L.C., General Partner of DP VI  
Associates, L.P.

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (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).

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