FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  BLAIR JAMES C				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CADENCE PHARMACEUTICALS INC</u> [					[ (Ch	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)								
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C/O DOMAIN ASSOCIATES, LLC				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/28/2007														
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(Ctroot)				—   <sup>4.</sup>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
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						Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)				
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, Transac			5. Numb of Derivati Securiti Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (II 3, 4 and	ve es d ed	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares							
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$12.3	06/28/2007		A		12,500		(1)	06/27/2017	Common Stock	12,500	\$0	12,500	)	D			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The option vests in twelve equal monthly installments beginning on July 1, 2007, subject to the Reporting Person's continuing service on the Issuer's Board of Directors.

## Remarks:

Kathleen K. Schoemaker, 06/29/2007 Attorney-in-Fact

\*\* 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 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).

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