

PERELMAN RONALD O
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MacAndrews & Forbes Holdings Inc.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SIGA TECHNOLOGIES INC
[SIGA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
09/17/2009

____ Director
____ Officer (give title below)
 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)

35 EAST 62ND STREET

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10065

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|---|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | | | |
| | | | | Code | V | Amount | | | |
| Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share | 09/17/2009 | | X | 326,797 | A | \$ 3.06 <u>(1)</u> | 5,962,032 | I | Owned through wholly-owned corporation |
| Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share | | | | | | | 2,472,222 | I | Owned through partially-owned corporation |

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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) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable Expiration Date | Title Amount Number Shares |
| Equity Line | (2) (3) | 09/17/2009 | | X | 0 (2) (3) | (2)(3) 06/19/2010 | Common Stock and Warrants (2) (3) |
| Warrant (Right to Buy) | \$ 3.519 | 09/17/2009 | | X | 130,719 | 09/17/2009 09/17/2013 | Common Stock 130,719 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| MacAndrews & Forbes Holdings Inc. 35 EAST 62ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10065 | | X | | |
| PERELMAN RONALD O 35 EAST 62ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10065 | | X | | |
| MacAndrews & Forbes LLC 35 EAST 62ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10065 | | X | | |

Signatures

/s/ Barry F. Schwartz, Executive Vice Chairman 09/21/2009
 **Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Barry F. Schwartz for Ronald O. Perelman pursuant to a Power of Attorney filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission 09/21/2009
 **Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ Barry F. Schwartz, Executive Vice Chairman

09/21/2009

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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 shares were acquired by MacAndrews & Forbes LLC ("MacAndrews & Forbes"), a joint filer hereunder, pursuant to an exercise of the equity line agreement between SIGA Technologies, Inc. (the "Company") and MacAndrews & Forbes (the "Equity Line").
- The Equity Line provides that through June 19, 2010, (i) MacAndrews & Forbes commits to invest, at the Company's option, up to an aggregate of \$8,000,000 in up to six tranches (such commitment, the "Investment Commitment") and (ii) MacAndrews & Forbes may, at MacAndrews & Forbes' option, elect to invest up to \$8,000,000 in the Company in up to six tranches on the terms of the Investment Commitment (such option, the "Investment Option"); provided that in no event could the aggregate amount of the investments pursuant to the Investment Commitment and the Investment Option exceed \$8,000,000. After giving effect to the present exercise, \$5,500,000 of the Investment Commitment / Investment Option remains outstanding.
- (2) Upon either of the Company's election to effect an investment pursuant to the Investment Commitment or MacAndrews & Forbes' election to effect an investment pursuant to the Investment Option (each, an "Investment") the Company shall issue to MacAndrews & Forbes: (i) such number of shares of Common Stock, with a value equal to the Investment, at a per share valuation ("Per Share Price") equal to the lesser of (A) \$3.06 and (B) the average of the volume-weighted average price per share for the 5 trading days immediately preceding each funding date and (ii) warrants (the "Consideration Warrants"), for no additional consideration, to purchase a number of shares of Common Stock of the Company equal to 40% of the shares issued on such funding date, at an exercise price per share equal to 115% of the Per Share Price on such funding date, payable in cash or by cashless exercise, exercisable for a period of four years commencing on the date of issuance of such Consideration Warrants.
- (3) The warrants were issued as Consideration Warrants in connection with the exercise of the Equity Line.
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Remarks:

Ronald O. Perelman, a joint filer hereunder, beneficially owns 100% of the common stock of MacAndrews & Forbes Holding

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