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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D/A

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. 4)*

Akorn, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

009728106

(CUSIP Number)

G. Edward Arledge, 11988 El Camino Real, Suite 200, San Diego, CA 92130 (858) 720-6300

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

May 5, 2006

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) Arjun C. Waney		
2.	Check the Appropriate Bo (a) (b)	ox if a Member of a Group (See Instructions) o o	
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Source of Funds (See Instructions) PF		
5.	Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o		
6.	Citizenship or Place of Organization United States		
	7.	Sole Voting Power 516,000	
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With	8.	Shared Voting Power 4,644,859	
	9.	Sole Dispositive Power 516,000	
	10.	Shared Dispositive Power 4,644,859	
11.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 5,160,859		
12.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o		
13.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 6.9% (But see Item 5(b))		
14.	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) IN		
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1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) Judith D. Waney		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box (a) (b)	if a Member of a Group (See Instructions) o o	
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Source of Funds (See Instructions) PF		
5.	Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o		
6.	Citizenship or Place of Organization United States		
	7.	Sole Voting Power	
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by	8.	Shared Voting Power 3,056,128	
Each Reporting Person With	9.	Sole Dispositive Power	
Person with	10.	Shared Dispositive Power 3,056,128	
11.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 3,056,128		
12.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o		
13.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 4.1% (But see Item 5(b))		
14.	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) IN		
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1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) Argent Fund Management Ltd.		
2.	Check the Appropriate Box (a) (b)	x if a Member of a Group (See Instructions) o o	
	(0)	O .	
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Source of Funds (See Instructions) WC		
5.	Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o		
6.	Citizenship or Place of Organization United States		
	7.	Sole Voting Power	
Number of			
Shares	8.	Shared Voting Power	
Beneficially		960,331	
Owned by Each	9.	Sole Dispositive Power	
Reporting	9.	Sole Dispositive I ower	
Person With			
	10.	Shared Dispositive Power 960,331	
11.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person		
	960,331		
12.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o		
13.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 1.3% (But see Item 5(b))		
14.	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) CO		
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1.	Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only) First Winchester Investments Ltd.		
2.	Check the Appropriate (a) (b)	Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions) o o	
3.	SEC Use Only		
4.	Source of Funds (See Instructions) WC		
5.	Check if Disclosure of Legal Proceedings Is Required Pursuant to Items 2(d) or 2(e) o		
6.	Citizenship or Place of Organization British Virgin Islands		
	7.	Sole Voting Power	
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by	8.	Shared Voting Power 628,400	
Each Reporting	9.	Sole Dispositive Power	
Person With	10.	Shared Dispositive Power 628,400	
11.	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 628,400		
12.	Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (11) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o		
13.	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (11) 0.8% (But see Item 5(b))		
14.	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) CO		

Item 1. Security and Issuer

Item 1 of the Schedule 13D is amended and restated to read as follows:

This constitutes Amendment No. 4 ("Amendment") to the Statement on Schedule 13D, filed on August 22, 2003, relating to shares of the Common Stock (the "Shares") of Akorn, Inc., a Louisiana corporation (the "Issuer"), as amended by Amendment No. 1 to such filing, filed on October 17, 2003, Amendment No. 2 to such filing, filed on December 31, 2003, and Amendment No. 3 to such filing, filed on January 19, 2006. The principal executive offices of the Issuer are located at 2500 Millbrook Drive, Buffalo Grove, Illinois 60089.

Except as otherwise described herein, the information contained in the Schedule 13D, as amended, remains in effect, and all capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings previously ascribed to them. Information given in response to each item in the Schedule 13D, as amended, shall be deemed incorporated by reference in all other items.

Item 2. Identity and Background

Item 2 of the Schedule 13D is unchanged.

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration

Item 3 of the Schedule 13D is unchanged.

Item 4. Purpose of Transaction

Item 4 of the Schedule 13D is amended by adding the following paragraphs:

On May 5, 2006, Mr. Waney sold 881,169 Shares held by him, at a purchase price of \$4.75 per Share, to three individuals in private transactions.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer

Item 5 of the Schedule 13D is amended and restated to read as follows:

- (a) Amount beneficially owned: Mr. Waney may be deemed to beneficially own 5,160,859 Shares, which constitutes approximately 6.9% of the outstanding Shares, due to the following:
- 960,331 Shares are held by Argent. Mr. Waney serves as Chairman and Managing Director and owns 52% of Argent.
- 2. 628,400 Shares are held by First Winchester, which operates as an equity fund for investors unrelated to Mr. Waney and whose investments are directed by Argent.
- 3. 516,000 Shares are held by Mr. Waney, including 10,000 vested options currently exercisable to purchase Shares at an exercise price of \$2.00 per Share and 506,000 Shares held through Individual Retirement Accounts maintained in the United States
- 4. 3,056,128 Shares are held jointly by Mr. Waney and Mrs Waney.

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- (b) The information set forth in Rows 7 through 13 of the cover pages hereto for each Reporting Person is incorporated herein by reference. The percentage amount set forth in Row 13 for all cover pages filed herewith hereto, and of Item 5(a) above, is calculated based upon the 74,424,989 Shares outstanding as of April 7, 2006, as set forth in the Issuer s Proxy Statement, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 21, 2006.
- (c) On March 29, 2006, Mr. Waney gifted 4,000 Shares to certain individuals. As described above, on May 5, 2006, Mr. Waney sold 881,169 Shares to certain individuals in private transactions at \$4.75 per Share.
- (d) As noted above, 628,400 Shares are held by First Winchester, which operates as an equity fund for investors unrelated to the Reporting Persons.
- (e) Not applicable.
- Item 6. Contracts, Arrangements, Understandings or Relationships with Respect to Securities of the Issuer Item 6 of the Schedule 13D is unchanged.
- Item 7. Material to Be Filed as Exhibits
 Item 7 of the Schedule 13D is amended by adding the following Exhibit:

Agreement dated May 5, 2006 between Mr. Waney and Mrs. Waney.

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Signature

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

May 5, 2006 Date

/s/ Arjun C. Waney Signature

Arjun C. Waney Name/Title

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