

Sorrento Therapeutics, Inc.  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â Royal Mike</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O SORRENTO THERAPEUTICS, INC.,Â 6042 CORNERSTONE CT. WEST, SUITE B</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>SAN DIEGO,Â CAÂ 92121</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>06/27/2014</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>Sorrento Therapeutics, Inc. [SRNE]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other</p> <p>(give title below) (specify below)</p> <p>See Remarks</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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**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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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Stock Options	Â (1)	01/01/2024	Common Stock	65,000	\$ 8.12	D	Â
Stock Options	Â (1)	06/27/2024	Common Stock	80,000	\$ 6.63	D	Â
Stock Options	06/27/2014	06/27/2024	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 6.63	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Royal Mike C/O SORRENTO THERAPEUTICS, INC., 6042 CORNERSTONE CT. WEST, SUITE B SAN DIEGO, CA 92121	Â	Â	Â See Remarks	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Mike A.  
Royal  
10/06/2014

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person                      Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) 1/4th of the original number of shares subject to the option shall vest on the first anniversary of the Vesting Commencement Date and 1/48th of the original number of shares subject to the option shall vest following each one-month period of service following the first anniversary of the Vesting Commencement Date, subject to optionee's continued service or employment with the Corporation through each such vesting date.

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**Remarks:**  
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