Sanderling Venture Partners VI Co Investment Fund LP Form 4 March 20, 2013 OMB APPROVAL FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Sanderling Venture Partners VI LP Issuer Symbol Pacira Pharmaceuticals, Inc. [PCRX] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director X 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title C/O SANDERLING 03/15/2013 below) below) **VENTURES, 400 SOUTH EL** CAMINO REAL, SUITE 1200 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting SAN MATEO, CA 94402 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) any Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Direct (D) (Instr. 8) Owned Ownership or Indirect Following (Instr. 4) Reported **(I)** (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Price Amount (D) Common 03/15/2013 J \$0 D⁽¹⁾(6)(7) 1,000,000 D 361,762 Stock Common 03/15/2013 200,000 D⁽²⁾(6)(7) J Α \$0 200,000 Stock Common 559,453 D⁽³⁾(6)(7) Stock Common D⁽⁴⁾(6)(7) 48,657 Stock Common 57,973 D (5) (6) (7) Stock

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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 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)	4. Transac Code (Instr. 8	of B) Do Se Au (A D) of (Iu	umber	Expiration D (Month/Day/	Date Exercisable and xpiration Date Month/Day/Year)		le and int of rlying ities . 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code	V (A	A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
I. S.	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Sanderling Venture Partners VI LP C/O SANDERLING VENTURES 400 SOUTH EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 1200 SAN MATEO, CA 94402		Х					
Sanderling VI Beteiligungs GmbH & Co KG C/O SANDERLING VENTURES 400 SOUTH EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 1200 SAN MATEO, CA 94402		Х					
Sanderling Ventures Management VI C/O SANDERLING VENTURES 400 SOUTH EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 1200 SAN MATEO, CA 94402		Х					
Sanderling VI Limited Partnership C/O SANDERLING VENTURES 400 SOUTH EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 1200 SAN MATEO, CA 94402		Х					
Sanderling Venture Partners VI Co Investment Fund LP C/O SANDERLING VENTURES 400 SOUTH EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 1200		Х					

SAN MATEO, CA 94402

Signatures

/s/ See Exhibit 99.1

03/19/2013

<u>**</u>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).

The securities are held directly by Sanderling Venture Partners VI Co-Investment Fund, L.P. On March 15, 2013, Sanderling Venture Partners VI Co-Investment Fund, L.P. distributed an aggregate of 1,000,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock pro rata to its partners

 Partners VI Co-Investment Fund, L.P. distributed an aggregate of 1,000,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock pro rata to its partners for no consideration (the "Distribution"). The address for Sanderling Venture Partners VI Co-Investment Fund, L.P. is c/o Sanderling Ventures, 400 South El Camino Real, Suite 1200, San Mateo, CA 94402.

The securities are held directly by Sanderling Ventures Management VI. On March 15, 2013, Sanderling Ventures Management VI
 (2) received 200,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock as a result of the Distribution. The address for Sanderling Ventures Management VI is c/o Sanderling Ventures, 400 South El Camino Real, Suite 1200, San Mateo, CA 94402.

- (3) The securities are held directly by Sanderling Venture Partners VI, L.P.
- (4) The securities are held directly by Sanderling VI Beteiligungs GmbH & Co. KG. The address for Sanderling VI Beteiligungs GmbH & Co. KG is c/o Sanderling Ventures, 400 South El Camino Real, Suite 1200, San Mateo, CA 94402.
- (5) The securities are held directly by Sanderling VI Limited Partnership. The address for Sanderling VI Limited Partnership is c/o Sanderling Ventures, 400 South El Camino Real, Suite 1200, San Mateo, CA 94402.

Fred Middleton, a member of the Board of Directors of the Issuer, is a managing director of Middleton, McNeil, Mills & Associates VI,

(6) LLC, which has the ultimate voting and investment power over shares held of record by Sanderling Venture Partners VI, L.P., Sanderling VI Beteiligungs GmbH & Co. KG, Sanderling VI Limited Partnership and Sanderling Venture Partners VI Co-Investment Fund, L.P. and he may be deemed to have voting and investment power over shares held of record by Sanderling Venture Partners VI, L.P.,

Sanderling VI Beteiligungs GmbH & Co. KG, Sanderling VI Limited Partnership and Sanderling Venture Partners VI Co-Investment Fund, L.P. Mr. Middleton is the owner of Sanderling Ventures Management VI and he may be deemed to have voting and investment

(7) Fund, E.F. Mit Middleton is the owner of Standering Ventures Management VI and ne may be declined to nave voting and investment power over shares held of record by Sanderling Ventures Management VI. Mr. Middleton disclaims beneficial ownership over the shares held by Sanderling Ventures and its affiliates, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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