UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 31, 2020

Acorda Therapeutics, Inc.
(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware	**001-31938**	**13-3831168**
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	**(Commission File Number)**	**(IRS Employer Identification No.)**
420 Saw Mill River Road, Ardsley, NY		**10502**
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)		**(Zip Code)**

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: (914) 347-4300

Not Applicable
(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instructions A.2. below):

☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

☐ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	**Trading Symbol(s)**	**Name of each exchange on which registered**
Common Stock (Par Value $0.001)	ACOR	Nasdaq Global Market

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§ 230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§ 240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company ☐

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. ☐

Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

Acorda Therapeutics, Inc. (the "Company") convened its Special Meeting of Stockholders on July 31, 2020 (the "Special Meeting"). The purpose of the Special Meeting was described in the Company's definitive proxy statement as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on July 6, 2020 (the "Definitive Proxy Statement").

Of the 47,981,098 shares if the Company's common stock outstanding as of June 29, 2020 (the "Record Date"), 36,196,601 shares, or 75.43% were represented in person or by proxy, which total constituted a quorum of the issued and outstanding shares as of the Record Date.

The final voting results for Proposal Two and Proposal Three, as described in the Definitive Proxy Statement, are set forth below. In accordance with the authority granted pursuant to Proposal Three, the Special Meeting was adjourned in order to allow additional time for stockholders to vote on Proposal One. The adjourned Special Meeting will be reconvened at 9:00 a.m., Eastern Time, on August 28, 2020 at the Company's principal executive office located at 420 Saw Mill River Road, Ardsley, New York 10502. The matter of business before the reconvened Special Meeting will be for stockholders to vote on Proposal One, as described in the Definitive Proxy Statement. Stockholders have thus far strongly supported Proposal One. At the time the Special Meeting was convened on July 31, 2020, approximately 80% of the shares that had been voted on Proposal One had been voted in its favor. However, the favorable votes were less than the absolute majority of all outstanding shares on the record date for the Special Meeting needed for approval.

Proposal Two: Reverse stock split proposal

The Company's stockholders approved an amendment to the Company's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation to effect a reverse stock split of the Company's common stock by a ratio of any whole number in the range of 1-for-2 to 1-for-20, and a corresponding reduction in the number of authorized shares of the Company's common stock, with such ratio to be determined in the discretion of the Company's Board of Directors and at such time and date, if at all, as determined by the Company's Board of Directors within one year after the conclusion of the Special Meeting, by the following vote:

Votes For	Votes Against	Abstentions
28,844,566	7,047,522	304,513

Proposal Three: Adjournment proposal

The Company's stockholders approved one or more adjournments of the Special Meeting to a later date or dates, if necessary or appropriate, to solicit additional proxies if there are insufficient votes to approve either of Proposal One or Proposal Two at the time of the Special Meeting, or in the absence of a quorum, by the following vote:

Votes For	Votes Against	Abstentions
29,534,788	5,975,385	686,428

Item 8.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

On July 31, 2020, the Company issued a press release announcing the adjournment of the Special Meeting. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K, and incorporated by reference into this Item.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	*Description*
99.1	Press Release dated July 31, 2020.
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Acorda Therapeutics, Inc.

July 31, 2020

By: /s/ David Lawrence
Name: David Lawrence
Title: Chief, Business Operations and Principal Accounting Officer

EXHIBIT 99.1

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Acorda Therapeutics Announces Adjournment of Special Meeting of Stockholders

Scheduled to Reconvene August 28, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. Eastern Time at Company Headquarters to Vote on Proposal One

ARDSLEY, NY – July 31, 2020 – Acorda Therapeutics, Inc. (Nasdaq: ACOR) convened its Special Meeting of Stockholders on July 31, 2020, and stockholders approved proposals to authorize the Company's Board of Directors to implement a reverse stock split, and to adjourn the meeting to provide stockholders with additional time to vote on Proposal One to approve an increase to the number of authorized shares of common stock. The Special Meeting will be reconvened on Friday, August 28, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. Eastern Time at the Company's principal executive office located at 420 Saw Mill River Road, Ardsley, NY 10502. The sole matter of business before the reconvened Special Meeting will be Proposal One.

Stockholders have thus far strongly supported Proposal One. At the time the meeting was convened on July 31, 2020, approximately 80% of the shares that had been voted on Proposal One had been voted in its favor. However, the favorable votes were less than the absolute majority of all outstanding shares on the record date needed for approval. Proposals Two and Three were approved at the Special Meeting. Each of these proposals are described in the Company's definitive proxy statement for the Special Meeting, which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on July 6, 2020.

The record date for determining stockholders eligible to vote on Proposal One at the Special Meeting remains June 29, 2020.

Acorda strongly encourages any eligible stockholder that has not yet voted their shares, or provided voting instructions to their broker or other record holder, to do so promptly. No action is required by any stockholder who has previously delivered a proxy and who does not wish to revoke or change that proxy.

Shares may be voted via the Internet or by telephone. Questions should be addressed to the Company's proxy solicitor: Innisfree M&A Incorporated TOLL-FREE, at 1-877-717-3929 from 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Eastern Time on Monday – Friday, and from 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Eastern Time on Saturdays.

Additional Information

This communication may be deemed to be solicitation material in respect of Proposal One. On July 6, 2020, Acorda Therapeutics, Inc. filed a definitive proxy statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") in connection with the Special Meeting. STOCKHOLDERS ARE URGED TO READ CAREFULLY AND IN THEIR ENTIRETY THE PROXY STATEMENT AND ANY OTHER SOLICITING MATERIALS THAT ARE FILED WITH THE COMMISSION WHEN THEY BECOME AVAILABLE BECAUSE THESE DOCUMENTS CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE COMPANY AND THE PROPOSAL TO BE VOTED UPON. The Company's proxy statement and any other solicitation materials filed by the Company with the Commission can be obtained free of charge at the Commission's website at www.sec.gov and at the investor relations section of the Company's website at www.acorda.com. Stockholders may also write to the Company at the following address to request copies of these materials: Acorda Therapeutics, Inc., 420 Saw Mill River Road, Ardsley, NY 10502 Attention: Communications Department. The Company, its directors and certain of its officers and employees will be participants in the solicitation of proxies from stockholders in respect of the Special Meeting. The Company has also engaged Innisfree M&A Incorporated to aid in the solicitation of proxies. Detailed information regarding the identity of participants, and their respective interests in the Company by security holdings or otherwise, are set forth in the definitive proxy statement for the Special Meeting. The contents of the websites referenced above are not deemed to be incorporated by reference into the proxy statement.

About Acorda Therapeutics

Acorda Therapeutics develops therapies to restore function and improve the lives of people with neurological disorders. INBRIJA™ (levodopa inhalation powder) is approved for intermittent treatment of OFF episodes in adults with Parkinson's disease treated with carbidopa/levodopa. INBRIJA is not to be used by patients who take or have taken a nonselective monoamine oxidase inhibitor such as phenelzine or tranylcypromine within the last two weeks. INBRIJA utilizes Acorda's innovative ARCUS® pulmonary delivery system, a technology platform designed to deliver medication through inhalation. Acorda also markets the branded AMPYRA® (dalfampridine) Extended Release Tablets, 10 mg.

Forward-Looking Statements

This press release includes forward-looking statements. All statements, other than statements of historical facts, regarding management's expectations, beliefs, goals, plans or prospects should be considered forward-looking. These statements are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially, including: we may not be able to successfully market INBRIJA or any other products under development; the COVID-19 pandemic, including related quarantines and travel restrictions, and the potential for the illness to affect our employees or consultants or those that work for other companies we rely upon, could have a material adverse effect on our business operations or product sales; we may need to raise additional funds to finance our operations, repay outstanding indebtedness or satisfy other obligations, and we may not be able to do so on acceptable terms or at all; risks associated with complex, regulated manufacturing processes for pharmaceuticals, which could affect whether we have sufficient commercial supply of INBRIJA to meet market demand; third party payers (including governmental agencies) may not reimburse for the use of INBRIJA or our other products at acceptable rates or at all and may impose

restrictive prior authorization requirements that limit or block prescriptions; competition for INBRIJA, AMPYRA and other products we may develop and market in the future, including increasing competition and accompanying loss of revenues in the U.S. from generic versions of AMPYRA (dalfampridine) following our loss of patent exclusivity; the ability to realize the benefits anticipated from acquisitions, among other reasons because acquired development programs are generally subject to all the risks inherent in the drug development process and our knowledge of the risks specifically relevant to acquired programs generally improves over time; the risk of unfavorable results from future studies of INBRIJA (levodopa inhalation powder) or from our other research and development programs, or any other acquired or in-licensed programs ; the occurrence of adverse safety events with our products; the outcome (by judgment or settlement) and costs of legal, administrative or regulatory proceedings, investigations or inspections, including, without limitation, collective, representative or class action litigation; failure to protect our intellectual property, to defend against the intellectual property claims of others or to obtain third party intellectual property licenses needed for the commercialization of our products; and failure to comply with regulatory requirements could result in adverse action by regulatory agencies.

These and other risks are described in greater detail in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. We may not actually achieve the goals or plans described in our forward-looking statements, and investors should not place undue reliance on these statements. Forward-looking statements made in this press release are made only as of the date hereof, and we disclaim any intent or obligation to update any forward-looking statements as a result of developments occurring after the date of this press release.

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