

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

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 1)*

PDL BioPharma, Inc.
(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share
(Title of Class of Securities)

69329Y104
(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2008
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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Notes).

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(1) NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

Highbridge International LLC

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(2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(see instructions)

(a) ☒
(b) ☐

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(3) SEC USE ONLY

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(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Cayman Islands, British West Indies

- - - - -
NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
0

SHARES
BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
\$32,200,000 aggregate principal amount of
2.00% Convertible Senior Notes due February

OWNED BY	15, 2012, convertible into 2,645,616 shares of Common Stock
EACH	
REPORTING	\$41,380,000 aggregate principal amount of 2.75% Convertible Subordinated Notes due August 16, 2023, convertible into 4,723,651 shares of Common Stock
PERSON WITH	

(7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

(8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

\$32,200,000 aggregate principal amount of
2.00% Convertible Senior Notes due February
15, 2012, convertible into 2,645,616 shares
of Common Stock

\$41,380,000 aggregate principal amount of
2.75% Convertible Subordinated Notes due
August 16, 2023, convertible into 4,723,651
shares of Common Stock

(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

\$32,200,000 aggregate principal amount of 2.00% Convertible
Senior Notes due February 15, 2012, convertible into 2,645,616
shares of Common Stock

\$41,380,000 aggregate principal amount of 2.75% Convertible
Subordinated Notes due August 16, 2023, convertible into
4,723,651 shares of Common Stock

(10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT
IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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(11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

5.81%

(12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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(1) NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

Highbridge Convertible Arbitrage Master Fund, L.P.

(2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(see instructions)

(a) ☒
(b) ☐

(3) SEC USE ONLY

(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Cayman Islands, British West Indies

NUMBER OF
SHARES
BENEFICIALLY
OWNED BY
EACH
REPORTING
PERSON WITH

(5) SOLE VOTING POWER
0

(6) SHARED VOTING POWER
0

(7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

(8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED

0

(10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT
IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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(11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

0%

(12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

PN

(1) NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

STAR L.P. (a statistical arbitrage strategy)

(2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(see instructions)

(a) ☒

(b) ☐

(3) SEC USE ONLY

(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Cayman Islands, British West Indies

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
0

SHARES

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
62,257 shares of Common Stock

OWNED BY

EACH (7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

REPORTING

PERSON WITH (8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
62,257 shares of Common Stock

(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
62,257 shares of Common Stock

(10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT
IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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(11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
0.05%

(12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
PN

(1) NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

Highbridge Statistical Market Neutral Fund

(2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(see instructions)

(a) ☒

(b) ☐

(3) SEC USE ONLY

(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

State of Delaware

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
0

SHARES

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
665,435 shares of Common Stock

OWNED BY

EACH (7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

REPORTING

PERSON WITH (8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
665,435 shares of Common Stock

(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
665,435 shares of Common Stock

(10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT
IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

☐

(11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
0.56%

(12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
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(1) NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

Highbridge Statistically Enhanced Equity Master Fund-U.S., L.P.

(2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(see instructions)

(a) ☒

(b) ☐

(3) SEC USE ONLY

(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Cayman Islands, British West Indies

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
0

SHARES

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
4,804 shares of Common Stock

OWNED BY

EACH (7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

REPORTING

PERSON WITH (8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
4,804 shares of Common Stock

(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
4,804 shares of Common Stock

(10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT
IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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(11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
0.00%

(12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
PN

(1) NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

SGAM AI Equity Fund

(2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(see instructions)

(a) ☒

(b) ☐

(3) SEC USE ONLY

(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Luxembourg

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
0

SHARES

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
139,846 shares of Common Stock

OWNED BY

EACH (7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

REPORTING

PERSON WITH (8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
139,846 shares of Common Stock

(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
139,846 shares of Common Stock

(10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT
IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

☐

(11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
0.12%

(12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
00

(1) NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

Highbridge Statistical Opportunities Master Fund, L.P.

(2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(see instructions)

(a) ☒

(b) ☐

(3) SEC USE ONLY

(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Cayman Islands, British West Indies

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER

0

SHARES

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER

74,505 shares of Common Stock

OWNED BY

EACH (7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

REPORTING

PERSON WITH (8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

74,505 shares of Common Stock

(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

74,505 shares of Common Stock

(10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT
IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

☐

(11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

0.06%

(12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

PN

(1) NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

Highbridge Convertible Opportunities Master Fund, L.P.

(2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(see instructions)

(a) ☒

(b) ☐

(3) SEC USE ONLY

(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Cayman Islands, British West Indies

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER

0

SHARES

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER

OWNED BY \$5,000,000 aggregate principal amount of
2.75% Convertible Subordinated Notes due
EACH August 16, 2023, convertible into 570,765
shares of Common Stock

REPORTING (7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

PERSON WITH

(8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

\$5,000,000 aggregate principal amount of
2.75% Convertible Subordinated Notes due
August 16, 2023, convertible into 570,765
shares of Common Stock

(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

\$5,000,000 aggregate principal amount of 2.75% Convertible
Subordinated Notes due August 16, 2023, convertible into 570,765
shares of Common Stock

(10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT
IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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(11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
0.48%

(12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
PN

(1) NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

Highbridge Capital Management, LLC

(2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(see instructions)

(a) ☒

(b) ☐

(3) SEC USE ONLY

(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

State of Delaware

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
0
SHARES -----

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
OWNED BY \$32,200,000 aggregate principal amount of
2.00% Convertible Senior Notes due February
EACH 15, 2012, convertible into 2,645,616 shares
of Common Stock

REPORTING \$46,380,000 aggregate principal amount of
PERSON WITH 2.75% Convertible Subordinated Notes due
August 16, 2023, convertible into 5,294,416
shares of Common Stock

946,847 shares of Common Stock

(7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

(8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

\$32,200,000 aggregate principal amount of 2.00% Convertible
Senior Notes due February 15, 2012, convertible into
2,645,616 shares of Common Stock

\$46,380,000 aggregate principal amount of 2.75% Convertible
Subordinated Notes due August 16, 2023, convertible into
5,294,416 shares of Common Stock

946,847 shares of Common Stock

(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
\$32,200,000 aggregate principal amount of 2.00% Convertible
Senior Notes due February 15, 2012, convertible into 2,645,616
shares of Common Stock

\$46,380,000 aggregate principal amount of 2.75% Convertible
Subordinated Notes due August 16, 2023, convertible into
5,294,416 shares of Common Stock

946,847 shares of Common Stock

(10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT
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(11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
6.97%

(12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
00

(1) NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

Glenn Dubin

(2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(see instructions)

(a) ☒

(b) ☐

(3) SEC USE ONLY

(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

United States

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
SHARES 0

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
OWNED BY \$32,200,000 aggregate principal amount of
2.00% Convertible Senior Notes due February
EACH 15, 2012, convertible into 2,645,616 shares
of Common Stock

REPORTING \$46,380,000 aggregate principal amount of
PERSON WITH 2.75% Convertible Subordinated Notes due
August 16, 2023, convertible into 5,294,416
shares of Common Stock

946,847 shares of Common Stock

(7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

(8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
\$32,200,000 aggregate principal amount of
2.00% Convertible Senior Notes due February
15, 2012, convertible into 2,645,616 shares
of Common Stock

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2.75% Convertible Subordinated Notes due
August 16, 2023, convertible into 5,294,416
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Subordinated Notes due August 16, 2023, convertible into
5,294,416 shares of Common Stock

946,847 shares of Common Stock

(10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT
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(11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
6.97%

(12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
IN

(1) NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

Henry Swieca

(2) CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(see instructions)

(a) ☒
(b) ☐

(3) SEC USE ONLY

(4) CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

United States

NUMBER OF (5) SOLE VOTING POWER
0
SHARES -----

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER
OWNED BY \$32,200,000 aggregate principal amount
EACH of 2.00% Convertible Senior Notes due
February 15, 2012, convertible into
2,645,616 shares of Common Stock
REPORTING \$46,380,000 aggregate principal amount
PERSON WITH of 2.75% Convertible Subordinated Notes due
August 16, 2023, convertible into 5,294,416
PERSON WITH shares of Common Stock
946,847 shares of Common Stock

(7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
0

(8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
\$32,200,000 aggregate principal amount of
2.00% Convertible Senior Notes due February
15, 2012, convertible into 2,645,616 shares
of Common Stock
\$46,380,000 aggregate principal amount of
2.75% Convertible Subordinated Notes due
August 16, 2023, convertible into 5,294,416
shares of Common Stock
946,847 shares of Common Stock

(9) AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED
BY EACH REPORTING PERSON
\$32,200,000 aggregate principal amount of 2.00% Convertible
Senior Notes due February 15, 2012, convertible into 2,645,616
shares of Common Stock
\$46,380,000 aggregate principal amount of 2.75% Convertible
Subordinated Notes due August 16, 2023, convertible into
5,294,416 shares of Common Stock
946,847 shares of Common Stock

(10) CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT
IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

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(11) PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)
6.97%

(12) TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON (SEE INSTRUCTIONS)
IN

This Amendment No. 1 (this "Amendment") amends the statement on Schedule 13G filed on May 15, 2008 (the "Original Schedule 13G" and the Original Schedule 13G as amended, the "Schedule 13G") with respect to shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Common Stock") of PDL BioPharma, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"). Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined in this Amendment have the meanings set forth in the Schedule 13G. This Amendment amends and restates Items 2(a), 2(b), 2(c), 4 and 5 in their entirety as set forth below.

Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing
 Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office
 Item 2(c). Citizenship

Highbridge International LLC

 c/o Harmonic Fund Services
 The Cayman Corporate Centre, 4th Floor
 27 Hospital Road
 Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands, British West Indies
 Citizenship: Cayman Islands, British West Indies

Star, L.P. (a statistical arbitrage strategy)

 c/o Harmonic Fund Services
 The Cayman Corporate Centre, 4th Floor
 27 Hospital Road
 Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands, British West Indies
 Citizenship: Cayman Islands, British West Indies

Highbridge Statistical Market Neutral Fund

 c/o Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
 9 West 57th Street, 27th Floor
 New York, New York 10019
 Citizenship: State of Delaware

Highbridge Statistically Enhanced Equity Master Fund-U.S., L.P.

 c/o Harmonic Fund Services
 The Cayman Corporate Centre, 4th Floor
 27 Hospital Road
 Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands, British West Indies
 Citizenship: Cayman Islands, British West Indies

SGAM AI Equity Fund

 170 Place Henri Regnault-La Defense 6
 92043 Paris - La Defense Cedex
 France
 Citizenship: Luxembourg

Highbridge Statistical Opportunities Master Fund, L.P.

 c/o Harmonic Fund Services

The Cayman Corporate Centre, 4th Floor
 27 Hospital Road
 Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands, British West Indies
 Citizenship: Cayman Islands, British West Indies

Highbridge Convertible Opportunities Master Fund, L.P.

Maples Corporate Services Limited
 PO Box 309, Ugland House
 Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands, British West Indies
 Citizenship: Cayman Islands, British West Indies

Highbridge Capital Management, LLC

9 West 57th Street, 27th Floor
 New York, New York 10019
 Citizenship: State of Delaware

Glenn Dubin

c/o Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
 9 West 57th Street, 27th Floor
 New York, New York 10019
 Citizenship: United States

Henry Swieca

c/o Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
 9 West 57th Street, 27th Floor
 New York, New York 10019
 Citizenship: United States

Item 4. Ownership

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.

(a) Amount beneficially owned:

As of the date of this filing, (i) Highbridge International LLC beneficially owns \$32,200,000 aggregate principal amount of 2.00% Convertible Senior Notes due February 15, 2012 (the "2012 Notes"), convertible into 2,645,616 shares of Common Stock (not counting any accrued and unpaid interest on the 2012 Notes) and \$41,380,000 aggregate principal amount of 2.75% Convertible Subordinated Notes due April 16, 2023 (the "2023 Notes" and together with the 2012 Notes, the "Notes"), convertible into 4,723,651 shares of Common Stock (not counting any accrued and unpaid interest on the 2023 Notes), (ii) Highbridge Convertible Arbitrage Master Fund, L.P. no longer beneficially owns any shares of Common Stock, (iii) STAR, L.P. (a statistical arbitrage strategy) beneficially owns 62,257 shares of Common Stock, (iv) Highbridge Statistical Market Neutral Fund beneficially owns 665,435 shares of Common Stock, (v) Highbridge Statistically Enhanced Equity Master Fund-U.S., L.P. beneficially owns 4,804 shares of Common Stock, (vi) SGAM AI Equity Fund beneficially owns 139,846 shares of Common Stock and, (vii) Highbridge Statistical Opportunities Master Fund, L.P. beneficially owns 74,505 shares of Common Stock, (viii) and Highbridge Convertible Opportunities Master Fund, L.P. beneficially owns \$5,000,000 aggregate principal amount of the 2023 Notes, convertible into 570,765 shares of Common Stock (not counting any accrued and

unpaid interest on the 2023 Notes), and (ix) each of Highbridge Capital Management, LLC, Glenn Dubin and Henry Swieca may be deemed the beneficial owner of \$32,200,000 aggregate principal amount of the 2012 Notes, convertible into 2,645,616 shares of Common Stock (not counting any accrued and unpaid interest on the 2012 Notes) beneficially owned by Highbridge International LLC, the \$46,380,000 aggregate principal amount of the 2023 Notes, convertible into 5,294,416 shares of Common Stock (not counting any accrued and unpaid interest on the 2023 Notes) beneficially owned by Highbridge International LLC and Highbridge Convertible Opportunities Master Fund, L.P. and the 946,847 shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by STAR, L.P. (a statistical arbitrage strategy), Highbridge Statistical Market Neutral Fund, Highbridge Statistically Enhanced Equity Master Fund-U.S., L.P., SGAM AI Equity Fund and Highbridge Statistical Opportunities Master Fund, L.P.

Highbridge Capital Management, LLC is the sub-advisor to Highbridge Statistical Market Neutral Fund and SGAM AI Equity Fund and is the trading manager of Highbridge International LLC, Highbridge Convertible Arbitrage Master Fund, L.P., Highbridge Statistically Enhanced Equity Master Fund-U.S., L.P., STAR, L.P. (a statistical arbitrage strategy), Highbridge Statistical Opportunities Master Fund, L.P. and Highbridge Convertible Opportunities Master Fund, L.P. Glenn Dubin is the Chief Executive Officer of Highbridge Capital Management, LLC. Henry Swieca is the Chief Investment Officer of Highbridge Capital Management, LLC. The foregoing should not be construed in and of itself as an admission by any Reporting Person as to beneficial ownership of shares of Common Stock owned by another Reporting Person. In addition, each of Highbridge Capital Management, LLC, Glenn Dubin and Henry Swieca disclaims beneficial ownership of shares of Common Stock held by Highbridge International LLC, Highbridge Convertible Arbitrage Master Fund, L.P., Highbridge Statistical Market Neutral Fund, Highbridge Statistically Enhanced Equity Master Fund-U.S., L.P., STAR, L.P. (a statistical arbitrage strategy), SGAM AI Equity Fund, Highbridge Statistical Opportunities Master Fund, L.P. and Highbridge Convertible Opportunities Master Fund, L.P.

(b) Percent of class:

The Company's quarterly report for the quarterly period ended September 30, 2008 filed on Form 10-Q on November 7, 2008, indicates that as of November 3, 2008, there were 119,506,838 shares of Common Stock outstanding. Therefore, based on the Company's outstanding shares of Common Stock and assuming the conversion of the Notes, (i) Highbridge International LLC may be deemed to beneficially own 5.81% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Company, (ii) Highbridge Convertible Arbitrage Master Fund, L.P. no longer beneficially owns any shares of Common Stock of the Company, (iii) STAR, L.P. (a statistical arbitrage strategy) may be deemed to beneficially own 0.05% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Company, (iv) Highbridge Statistical Market Neutral Fund may be deemed to beneficially own 0.56% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Company, (v) Highbridge Statistically Enhanced Equity Master Fund-U.S., L.P. may be deemed to beneficially own 0.00% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Company, (vi) SGAM AI Equity Fund may be deemed to beneficially own 0.12% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Company, (vii) Highbridge Statistical Opportunities Master Fund, L.P. may be deemed to beneficially own 0.06% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Company, (viii) Highbridge Convertible Opportunities Master Fund, L.P. may be deemed to beneficially own 0.48% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Company and (vii) each of

Highbridge Capital Management, LLC, Glenn Dubin and Henry Swieca may be deemed to beneficially own 6.97% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock of the Company. The foregoing should not be construed in and of itself as an admission by any Reporting Person as to beneficial ownership of shares of Common Stock owned by another Reporting Person.

(c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

(i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote

0

(ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote

See Item 4(a)

(iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of

0

(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of

See Item 4(a)

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class

As of the date hereof, Highbridge Convertible Arbitrage Master Fund, L.P. no longer beneficially owns any shares of Common Stock of the Company and has ceased to be a Reporting Person with respect to the shares of Common Stock.

Exhibits:

Exhibit I: Joint Filing Agreement, dated as of February 13, 2009, by and among Highbridge International LLC, STAR, L.P. (a statistical arbitrage strategy), Highbridge Statistical Market Neutral Fund, Highbridge Statistically Enhanced Equity Master Fund-U.S., L.P., SGAM AI Equity Fund, Highbridge Statistical Opportunities Master Fund, L.P., Highbridge Convertible Opportunities Master Fund, L.P., Highbridge Capital Management, LLC, Glenn Dubin and Henry Swieca.

SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of its knowledge and belief, each of the undersigned certifies that the information with respect to it set forth in this statement is true, complete, and correct.

Dated: February 13, 2009

HIGHBRIDGE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC

HIGHBRIDGE INTERNATIONAL LLC

By: Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
its Trading Manager

By: /s/ John Oliva

By: /s/ John Oliva

Name: John Oliva
Title: Managing Director

Name: John Oliva
Title: Managing Director

HIGHBRIDGE CONVERTIBLE ARBITRAGE
MASTER FUND, L.P.

STAR, L.P. (a statistical arbitrage
strategy)

By: Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
its Trading Manager

By: Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
its Trading Manager

By: /s/ John Oliva

By: /s/ John Oliva

Name: John Oliva
Title: Managing Director

Name: John Oliva
Title: Managing Director

HIGHBRIDGE STATISTICAL MARKET NEUTRAL
FUND

HIGHBRIDGE STATISTICALLY ENHANCED
EQUITY MASTER FUND-U.S., L.P.

By: Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
its Sub-Advisor

By: Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
its Trading Manager

By: /s/ John Oliva

By: /s/ John Oliva

Name: John Oliva
Title: Managing Director

Name: John Oliva
Title: Managing Director

SGAM AI EQUITY FUND

HIGHBRIDGE STATISTICAL OPPORTUNITIES
MASTER FUND, L.P.

By: Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
its Sub-Advisor

By: Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
its Trading Manager

By: /s/ John Oliva

By: /s/ John Oliva

Name: John Oliva
Title: Managing Director

Name: John Oliva
Title: Managing Director

HIGHBRIDGE CONVERTIBLE OPPORTUNITIES
MASTER FUND, L.P.

By: Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
its Trading Manager

/s/ Glenn Dubin

GLENN DUBIN

By: /s/ John Oliva

Name: John Oliva

Title: Managing Director

/s/ Henry Swieca

HENRY SWIECA

EXHIBIT I

JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

This will confirm the agreement by and among the undersigned that the Schedule 13G filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on or about the date hereof with respect to the beneficial ownership by the undersigned of the shares of Common Stock, \$0.01 par value, of PDL BioPharma, Inc., is being filed, and all amendments thereto will be filed, on behalf of each of the persons and entities named below in accordance with Rule 13d-1(k) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

Dated as of February 13, 2009

HIGHBRIDGE CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC

HIGHBRIDGE INTERNATIONAL LLC

By: Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
its Trading Manager

By: /s/ John Oliva

By: /s/ John Oliva

Name: John Oliva
Title: Managing Director

Name: John Oliva
Title: Managing Director

HIGHBRIDGE CONVERTIBLE ARBITRAGE
MASTER FUND, L.P.

STAR, L.P. (a statistical arbitrage
strategy)

By: Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
its Trading Manager

By: Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
its Trading Manager

By: /s/ John Oliva

By: /s/ John Oliva

Name: John Oliva
Title: Managing Director

Name: John Oliva
Title: Managing Director

HIGHBRIDGE STATISTICAL MARKET NEUTRAL
FUND

HIGHBRIDGE STATISTICALLY ENHANCED
EQUITY MASTER FUND-U.S., L.P.

By: Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
its Sub-Advisor

By: Highbridge Capital Management, LLC
its Trading Manager

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By: /s/ John Oliva

Name: John Oliva
Title: Managing Director

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SGAM AI EQUITY FUND

HIGHBRIDGE STATISTICAL OPPORTUNITIES
MASTER FUND, L.P.

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MASTER FUND, L.P.

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