

DAVIDSON EUGENE A  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
DAVIDSON EUGENE A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
ANIKA THERAPEUTICS INC  
[ANIK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
08/28/2006

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

C/O ANIKA THERAPEUTICS, INC., 160 NEW BOSTON STREET

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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WOBURN, MA 01801

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
				Code	V	Amount		
Common Stock	08/28/2006		M	2,000	A	\$ 7.625	32,000	D
Common Stock	08/28/2006		M	3,000	A	\$ 5.1875	35,000	D
Common Stock	08/28/2006		M	1,596	A	\$ 9.75	36,596	D
Common Stock	08/28/2006		M	6,750	A	\$ 0.9062	43,346	D
Common Stock	08/28/2006		S	3,346	D	\$ 13	40,000	D

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Common Stock 08/28/2006 S 1,827 D \$ 13 38,173 D

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 7.625	08/28/2006		M	2,000	02/28/1998 <sup>(1)</sup> 02/28/2008	Common Stock 2,000
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 5.1875	08/28/2006		M	3,000	01/12/1999 <sup>(2)</sup> 01/12/2009	Common Stock 3,000
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 9.75	08/28/2006		M	1,596	03/27/2000 <sup>(3)</sup> 03/27/2010	Common Stock 1,596
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 0.9062	08/28/2006		M	6,750	03/29/2001 <sup>(4)</sup> 03/29/2011	Common Stock 6,750

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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DAVIDSON EUGENE A  
C/O ANIKA THERAPEUTICS, INC.  
160 NEW BOSTON STREET  
WOBURN, MA 01801

## Signatures

/s/ Eugene A.  
Davidson 08/30/2006

\_\_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).
- (1) Exercisable as to 2,000 on 2/28/1998
- (2) Exercisable as to 3,000 on 1/12/1999
- (3) Exercisable as to 1,596 on 3/27/2000
- (4) Exercisable as to 13,500 on 3/29/2001

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