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FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION								OMB	APPROVAL 3235-0287		
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(Print or Type	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> PLACE VIRGIL A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VIVUS INC [VVUS]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)			
1172 CASTRO STREET			(Month/Day/Year) 08/31/2007					_X_ Director10% Owner _X_ Officer (give titleOther (specify below) below) Chief Scientific Officer			
	(Street)			nendment, D onth/Day/Yea	-	al		6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by (One Reporting	Person	
MOUNTA	IN VIEW, CA 94	040						Form filed by M Person	fore than One	Reporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tal	ble I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Benefici	ally Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	nor Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	(D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	08/31/2007			Code V S	Amount 10,000	(D) D	Price \$ 5.3073	(Instr. 3 and 4) 460,295	D		
Common Stock	09/04/2007			S	10,000	D	\$ 5.2909	450,295	D		
Common Stock								70,000	Ι	by Public Foundation	
Common Stock								31,600	I	by Son	

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
PLACE VIRGIL A 1172 CASTRO STREET MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94040	Х		Chief Scientific Officer					
Signatures								
By: Kate Higgins For: Virgil Place	09	9/04/2007						
<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).

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