

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>MAFCO HOLDINGS INC</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>35 East 62nd Street</u> (Street) <u>New York</u> <u>NY</u> <u>10021</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>SIGA TECHNOLOGIES INC [SIGA]</u> 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>10/08/2003</u> 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director <u>X</u> 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>X</u> Form filed by One Reporting Person <u>X</u> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
<u>Common Stock⁽¹⁾</u>	<u>10/08/2003</u>		<u>X</u>		<u>1,396,462⁽²⁾</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>\$1.44</u>	<u>2,578,374</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>Owned through wholly-owned corporation</u>

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
<u>Warrant (right to buy)</u>	<u>\$2</u>	<u>10/08/2003</u>		<u>X</u>		<u>698,232⁽³⁾</u>		<u>10/14/2003</u>	<u>10/14/2010</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>698,232</u>	<u>(3)</u>	<u>1,039,725</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>Owned through wholly-owned corporation</u>
<u>Option (right to buy)</u>	<u>\$1.44</u>	<u>10/08/2003</u>		<u>X</u>			<u>1,396,462⁽⁴⁾</u>	<u>08/13/2003</u>	<u>10/13/2003</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>1,396,462</u>	<u>(4)</u>	<u>4,750,413</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>Owned through wholly-owned corporation</u>
<u>Option (right to buy)</u>	<u>\$1.44</u>	<u>10/08/2003</u>		<u>G</u>			<u>3,472,222⁽⁵⁾</u>	<u>08/13/2003</u>	<u>10/13/2003</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>3,472,222</u>	<u>(5)</u>	<u>1,278,191</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>Owned through wholly-owned corporation</u>
<u>Option (right to buy)</u>	<u>\$1.44</u>	<u>10/08/2003</u>		<u>G</u>			<u>3,472,222⁽⁵⁾</u>	<u>08/13/2003</u>	<u>10/13/2003</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>3,472,222</u>	<u>(5)</u>	<u>3,472,222</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>Owned through partially-owned corporation</u>
<u>Option (right to buy)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	<u>10/08/2003</u>		<u>X</u>			<u>698,232⁽⁶⁾</u>	<u>08/13/2003</u>	<u>10/13/2003</u>	<u>Warrant</u>	<u>698,232</u>	<u>(6)</u>	<u>2,375,206</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>Owned through wholly-owned corporation</u>
<u>Option (right to buy)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	<u>10/08/2003</u>		<u>G</u>			<u>1,736,111⁽⁵⁾</u>	<u>08/13/2003</u>	<u>10/13/2003</u>	<u>Warrant</u>	<u>1,736,111</u>	<u>(5)</u>	<u>639,095</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>Owned through wholly-owned corporation</u>
<u>Option (right to buy)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	<u>10/08/2003</u>		<u>G</u>			<u>1,736,111⁽⁵⁾</u>	<u>08/13/2003</u>	<u>10/13/2003</u>	<u>Warrant</u>	<u>1,736,111</u>	<u>(5)</u>	<u>1,736,111</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>Owned through partially-owned corporation</u>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

PERELMAN RONALD O

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New York NY 10021

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

MACANDREWS & FORBES HOLDINGS INC

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NEW YORK NY 10021

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Explanation of Responses:

1. Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share ("Common Stock").
2. On August 13, 2003, MacAndrews & Forbes Holdings Inc. ("Holdings"), a wholly owned subsidiary of Mafco Holdings Inc. and a joint filer hereunder, and SIGA Technologies, Inc. (the "Company") entered into a Securities Purchase Agreement (the "Purchase Agreement"). Pursuant to the Purchase Agreement, Holdings acquired an option (the "SIGA Option"), exercisable from time to time, to purchase (a) up to 6,146,875 shares of Common Stock ("Tranche B Shares") at a per share purchase price of \$1.44 and (b) a warrant to purchase a number of shares of Common Stock equal to 50% of the number of Tranche B Shares, exercisable for \$2.00 per share, for no additional consideration. On October 8, 2003, Holdings exercised a portion of the SIGA Option.
3. This warrant was received, for no additional consideration, along with the 1,396,462 Tranche B Shares issued to Holdings upon exercise of a portion of the SIGA Option.
4. As a result of the receipt of the 1,396,462 Tranche B Shares issued to Holdings upon exercise of a portion of the SIGA Option, the SIGA Option was reduced by a like amount. The SIGA Option was acquired for no consideration.
5. On October 8, 2003, in accordance with the Purchase Agreement, Holdings assigned a portion of the SIGA Option to TransTech Pharma, Inc. ("TTP"), an entity affiliated with Ronald Perelman, a joint filer hereunder, for no consideration. TTP is a corporation in which Mr. Perelman has a direct ownership interest. Mr. Perelman disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported on the Form 4 as owned by TTP, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. Neither Holdings nor Mafco Holdings Inc. has any pecuniary interest in securities held by TTP.
6. As a result of the receipt of the warrant to purchase 698,232 shares of Common Stock issued to Holdings upon exercise of a portion of the SIGA Option, the SIGA Option was reduced by a like amount. The SIGA Option was acquired for no consideration.

Remarks:

Ronald O. Perelman, a joint filer hereunder, beneficially owns 100% of the common stock of Mafco Holdings Inc., which beneficially owns 100% of the common stock of MacAndrews & Forbes Holdings Inc. MacAndrews & Forbes Holdings Inc. has beneficial ownership of the securities described in Tables I and II hereof.

[Barry F. Schwartz Executive Vice President and General Counsel](#) [10/10/2003](#)

[Barry F. Schwartz for Ronald O. Perelman, pursuant to a Power of Attorney filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission](#) [10/10/2003](#)

[Barry F. Schwartz, Executive Vice President and General Counsel](#) [10/10/2003](#)

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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