FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Peterson Rebecca						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Alkermes plc. [ALKS]									ionship of Reporting all applicable) Director Officer (give title below) SVP, Corporate (10% (Owner	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 852 WINTER ST.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/20/2012								X			below	′ I	
(Street) WALTHA	ALTHAM MA 02451				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								3. Indiv Line) X					
		Tabl	e I - N	Non-Deriv	ative	Seci	uritie	s Ac	quire	d, Di	sposed o	f, or E	Benefici	ally (Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye						2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Disposed Of (5. Ai Seci Ben		ount of ities ficially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Trans		action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Ordinary Shares 11/20/			11/20/20)12	12			S ⁽¹⁾		1,280	D	\$19.97).9704 ⁽²⁾		0	D			
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)	if any	tion Date, h/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code (8)	(Instr.	5. Nu of Deriv Secul Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5	ative rities ired osed . 3, 4	Expira (Mont	te Exercation D		7. Title Amour Securit Underl Derivat Securit and 4)	nt of ties ying			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$19.97 to \$19.975. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price can be furnished to the SEC staff upon request.

/s/ Shantale Harb, attorney-infact for Rebecca Peterson

11/20/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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