FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Pugh Gordon G						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Alkermes plc. [ALKS]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 852 WINTER ST.				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/26/2012								X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, COO & CRO, Alkermes, Inc.							
(Street) WALTHAM MA 02451			4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								ine) X For For							
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transad	Transaction		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)		(A) or	5. Amount of		Form:	Direct Indirect Etr. 4)	. Nature of ndirect seneficial Dwnership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	A) or Price Transaction(s)		ction(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Ordinary Shares				05/26/2012					М		2,125	A	\$0	1	2,924	D			
Ordinary Shares			05/26/2012					F		674	D	\$16.	14 1	2,250	D				
Ordinary Shares			05/27/2012		!			F		476	D	\$16.	.14 11,774		D				
Ordinary Shares													5	,000		I I	Gordon G. Pugh Revocable Trust -		
Ordinary Shares												1	15,000		I I	Nancy E. Pugh Revocable Trust -			
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. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	ned n Date,	I. Transa	5. Number 6.			6. Date E Expiratio	5. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		derivati Securiti Benefic Owned Followi Reporte Transac	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ble	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er					
Restricted Stock Award	\$0	05/26/2012			M			2,125	05/26/201	10 ⁽¹⁾	(1)	Ordinary Shares	2,125	5 \$0	2,1	25	D		

1. Shares subject to the restricted stock unit award vest in equal annual installments over a four year period, commencing on 5/26/10.

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorneyin-fact for Gordon G. Pugh

05/29/2012

** 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).
- ** 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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