FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Brown Iain Michael</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Alkermes plc. [ALKS]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specif				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 852 WINTER STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/21/2019						below)	inance & CA		below)	, l	
(Street) WALTHAM MA 02451 (City) (State) (Zip)			4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D			•	Execution Date		Code (Instr. 5)			5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F	s ally ollowing	Form:	Direct Ir Indirect B tr. 4) C	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
								Code V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		Transact	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
		,	Table II - Der (e.g					uired, Disp s, options,				Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	action (Instr.			6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye	te	Amount of		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$32.57	02/21/2019		A		74,500		02/21/2020 ⁽¹⁾	02/21/2029	Ordinary Shares	74,500	\$0	74,500		D	
Restricted Stock Unit Award	\$0	02/21/2019		A		19,200		02/21/2020 ⁽²⁾	(2)	Ordinary Shares	19,200	\$0	19,200		D	

Explanation of Responses:

- $1. \ Shares \ subject \ to \ the \ stock \ option \ award \ vest \ in \ four \ equal \ annual \ installments \ commencing \ on \ 2/21/2020.$
- $2. \ Shares subject to the restricted stock unit award vest in equal annual installments over a four year period, commencing on 2/21/2020.$

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorneyin-fact for Iain M. Brown 02/25/2019

** 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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