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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 Ehrich Ellion		g Person*		2. Issuer Name and To Alkermes plc. [ng Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 852 WINTER ST.				3. Date of Earliest Train 11/18/2013	nsaction (Mon	nth/Day/Year)	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) SVP, R&D & CMO, Alkermes, Inc.					
(Street) WALTHAM MA 02451				4. If Amendment, Date	e of Original Fi	iled (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)					Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
Date			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye	Execution Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an	d 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		

Code

 $M^{(1)}$

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Derivative Conversion Date Security Or Exercise (Month/		3. Transaction Date Secution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		umber vative urities uired or oosed O) tr. 3, 4	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				
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$18.6	11/18/2013		M ⁽¹⁾			7,718	(5)	12/09/2015	Ordinary Shares	7,718	\$0	9,466	D	
Restricted Stock	\$0	11/18/2013		M			5,000	(6)	(6)	Ordinary Shares	5,000	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This option exercise was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- 2. This sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- 3. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$37.80 to \$38.21. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price can be furnished to the SEC staff upon request.
- 4. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$36.64 to \$36.695. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price can be furnished to the SEC staff upon request.
- 5. These options are fully vested in accordance with their terms.
- 6. This award is fully vested in accordance with its terms.

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorneyin-fact for Elliot Ehrich

11/19/2013

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reported

(Instr. 3 and 4)

24,297

16,579

21,579

19,218

16,579

(A) or (D)

Α

D

Α

D

D

Price

\$18.6

\$37.9952(3)

\$0

\$36.89

\$36.6467(4)

Amount

7,718

7,718

5,000

2,361

2,639

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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