## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LANDINE MICHAEL J</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Alkermes plc. [ ALKS ]									all applic	icable) or		erson(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify	
(Last) 852 WIN	(Fi	(First) (Middle) R ST.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/14/2014									Officer (give title below)  SVP, Corp Dev., Alkermes, Inc.		
(Street) WALTHAM MA 02451					4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable le)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)														Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tab	le I - N	Non-Deri	ivativ	e Sec	urit	ies Ad	cquire	ed, D	isposed o	f, or B	eneficia	lly	Owned				
Date			2. Transac Date (Month/Da		Execu Year) if any		Deemed ution Date, / th/Day/Year)		ction Instr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			Benefic Owned		es ially Following	Forn (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
										v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			[	(Instr. 4)
Ordinary Shares 10/14/2					2014	14			M <sup>(1)</sup>		15,000	Α	\$14.9	\$14.9		145,521		D	
Ordinary Shares 10/14/20				2014	14		<b>S</b> <sup>(2)</sup>		15,000	D	\$40.649	40.6491 <sup>(3)</sup>		130,521		D			
		-	Table								posed of, , converti				wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	emed ion Date, /Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exer Expiration I (Month/Day)		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Di Si (li	Price of erivative ecurity istr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e Cossis Fully Do	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	ode V		(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares						
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$14.9	10/14/2014			M <sup>(1)</sup>			15,000	(4	4)	12/17/2014	Ordinary Shares	15,000	0	\$0	31,861	1	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 \$39.975 to \$40.90. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price can be furnished to the SEC staff upon request.
- 4. These options are fully vested in accordance with their terms.

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorneyin-fact for Michael J. Landine

10/16/2014

\*\* 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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