FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP		O

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Ehrich Elliot						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					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 852 WINTER ST.						Date o		iest Tran	saction	(Mont	h/Day/Year)	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP, R&D & CMO, Alkermes, Inc.								
(Street) WALTHAM MA 02451						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(5	-	(Zip)	lon-Der	ivativ	e Se	curit	ties Ad	cauire	ed. Di	isposed o	f. or B	enefic	ially	Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			JIC 1 1	2. Transacti Date (Month/Day		2A. I Exec if an	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an				5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned F	es ally Following	Form	: Direct I r Indirect I str. 4)	7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership	
								, ,		v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transact (Instr. 3	ion(s)	., .		Instr. 4)	
Ordinary	Shares			04/21/	2015	15		M ⁽¹⁾		25,000	A	\$16	5.55	49,956			D			
Ordinary	Shares			04/21/	2015				S ⁽²⁾		10,228	D	\$61.9	888(3)	39,					
Ordinary	Shares			04/21/	2015				s ⁽²⁾		14,772	D	\$62.6	6606 ⁽⁴⁾ 24,956 D						
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transa Code (8)				6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		S (I	. Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)		e (s i ally i	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	isable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber						
Employee Stock Option (Right to	\$16.55	04/21/2015			M ⁽¹⁾			25,000	05/21/2	2013 ⁽⁵⁾	05/21/2022	Ordinar Shares	y 25,0	000	\$0	95,000)	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 \$61.345 to \$62.325. 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 \$62.34 to \$62.91. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price can be furnished to the SEC staff upon request.
- 5. Shares subject to the stock option award vest in four equal annual installments commencing on 5/21/13.

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

04/23/2015

** 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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