FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MITCHELL PAUL J				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Alkermes plc. [ALKS]									k all appli Directo	or		10% Ov	ner		
	(Fi UGHT HO INGTON R	USE	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2019									officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	респу
(Street) DUBLIN 4 IRELAND				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(St	<u> </u>	Zip)	- Danis	vative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned														
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Ordinary Shares			04/01	01/2019				M ⁽¹⁾		1,000) A	\$8	3.98	1,000		I		The Paul J. Mitchell Trust ⁽²⁾	
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Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$8.98	04/01/2019			M ⁽¹⁾			1,000	(4)	1	.0/06/2019	Ordinar Shares	1,00	00	\$0	7,000		I	The Paul J. Mitchell Trust ⁽²⁾⁽⁵⁾

Explanation of Responses:

- $1. \ This option exercise was effected pursuant to a Rule \ 10b5-1 \ trading plan \ adopted \ by the reporting person on \ 12/12/17.$
- 2. The reporting person and his wife are co-trustees of The Paul J. Mitchell Trust and the reporting person is also a beneficiary of The Paul J. Mitchell Trust originally established on November 19, 2014 and amended and restated on September 8, 2017 ("The Paul J. Mitchell Trust").
- $3. \ This \ sale \ was \ effected \ pursuant \ to \ a \ Rule \ 10b5-1 \ trading \ plan \ adopted \ by \ the \ reporting \ person \ on \ 12/12/17.$
- 4. These options are fully vested in accordance with their terms.
- $5.\ These\ options\ were\ transferred\ from\ the\ reporting\ person\ to\ The\ Paul\ J.\ Mitchell\ Trust\ on\ December\ 11,\ 2017.$

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorney-04/02/2019 in-fact for Paul J. Mitchell

** 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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