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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| | | | of Section So(ii) of the investment Company Act of 1940 | | | |
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| 1. Name and Addr Pugh Gordo | | g Person* | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Alkermes plc.</u> [ALKS] | | ationship of Reporting P k all applicable) Director | 10% Owner |
| (Last) 852 WINTER | (First) (Middle) | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/17/2014 | X | Officer (give title below) SVP, COO & CRO, | Other (specify below) Alkermes, Inc. |
| (Street) WALTHAM | MA | 02451 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indi Line) X | ividual or Joint/Group Fil Form filed by One Re | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | — | | Form filed by More th Person | 1 0 |

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|---|---|---|--------|---------------|-------------------|---|---|---|
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (11501 4) |
| Ordinary Shares | 05/17/2014 | | М | | 3,275 | A | \$ <mark>0</mark> | 51,576 | D | |
| Ordinary Shares | 05/17/2014 | | F | | 1,545 | D | \$43.59 | 50,031 | D | |
| Ordinary Shares | 05/19/2014 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | | 300 | A | \$20.79 | 50,331 | D | |
| Ordinary Shares | 05/19/2014 | | S ⁽²⁾ | | 300 | D | \$45 | 50,031 | D | |
| Ordinary Shares | | | | | | | | 5,000 | I | Gordon G. Pugh Revocable Trust - 2012 |
| Ordinary Shares | | | | | | | | 15,000 | I | Nancy E. Pugh Revocable Trust - 2012 |

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

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transa Code (8) | | of Deri Sec Acq (A) Disp of (I | oosed D) tr. 3, 4 | Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | te Amount of | | 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 | | | | |
| Restricted Stock Unit Award | \$0 | 05/17/2014 | | М | | | 3,275 | (3) | (3) | Ordinary Shares | 3,275 | \$0 | 0 | D | |
| Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$20.79 | 05/19/2014 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | | | 300 | (4) | 05/02/2016 | Ordinary Shares | 300 | \$0 | 13,763 | 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. This RSU award is fully vested in accordance with its terms.

4. These options are fully vested in accordance with their terms.

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorneyin-fact for Gordon G. Pugh Date

05/20/2014

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).

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