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 of Reporting Person* BLOOM FLOYD E					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Alkermes plc. [ALKS]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
						_						X Directo	r	10%	Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) CONNAUGHT HOUSE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/22/2019							Officer below)	(give title	Othe belo	er (specify w)		
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(Street) DUBLIN 4 IRELAND				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)														
		Tal	ole I - Non-D	erivativ	re Se	curitie	s Ac	quired, Di	sposed o	f, or Ber	neficiall	y Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						2A. Deem Executior if any (Month/Da	Date	Code (Inst	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported	s ally following (6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)		(Instr. 4)		
	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 Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.		n of		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 derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Direct (or Indir (I) (Inst	Beneficial Ownership ect (Instr. 4)			
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$25.04	05/22/2019		A		22,400		05/22/2020 ⁽¹⁾	05/22/2029	Ordinary Shares	22,400	\$0	22,400	D			

Explanation of Responses:

1. This option becomes exercisable in full on 5/22/2020.

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorneyin-fact for Floyd E. Bloom

05/23/2019

** 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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