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FORM 4

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	nd Address of INE MIC	Reporting Person* HAEL J		2. Issuer Name and Ticker o Alkermes plc. [ALK							g Symbol				all applic Directo	able) r	g Pers	10% Owner		
(Last) 852 WIN	`	irst)	(Middle)	1		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/14/2019									Officer (give title Other (s below) SVP, Corp Dev., Alkermes, Inc.			`		
(Street) WALTH	Street) WALTHAM MA 02451						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(S	•	(Zip)												Person					
		Tab	ole I - N	Non-Deri	vativ	e Sec	curit	ies A	cquire	ed, Di	isposed o	f, or B	eneficia	lly	Owned					
Date				2. Transac Date (Month/Da		Exec if any	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			nd 5) Securitie Beneficia Owned F		es For ally (D) Following (I)		n: Direct r Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)					
Ordinary	Shares			03/14/2	2019				M ⁽¹⁾		25,000	A	\$8.5	5	210),122	122 D			
Ordinary	Shares			03/14/2	2019				S ⁽²⁾		25,000	D	\$33.054	19 ⁽³⁾	185	5,122 D				
		-	Table								posed of, converti				wned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		Execution Date, if any			Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		te Exerc ation D th/Day/		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		Di Si	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership ct (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares	r						
Employee Stock Option (Right to	\$8.55	03/14/2019			M ⁽¹⁾			25,000	((4)	05/26/2019	Ordinary Shares	25,00	0	\$0	20,000		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This option exercise was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on 3/2/18.
- 2. This sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on 3/2/18.
- 3. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$32.87 to \$33.53. 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/ Stephanie Roche, attorneyin-fact for Paul J. Mitchell

03/14/2019

** 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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