FORM 4

#### **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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## Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

		or Sec	tion 30(h) of the Inv	estment Con	npany Act of 1940						
. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Robinson James A. Jr.			r Name <b>and</b> Ticker mes plc. [ AL		mbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner					
Last) (First) (Midd	e)	3. Date 04/04/2	of Earliest Transact 2018	tion (Month/Da	ay/Year)	- x	Officer (give title below)  President & COO,Alkermes, Inc.				
Street) WALTHAM MA 0245 City) (State) (Zip)	MA 02451  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/D			Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Form filed by One Form filed by Mor Person	Reporting Perso	on			
Table I	- Non-Deriva	ative S	ecurities Acqu	uired, Disp	osed of, or Benefic	cially (	Owned				
. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trar Date (Monti		ction ay/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		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)		

# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Code

Amount

	(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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		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 of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	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		(Instr. 4)		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$44.16	04/04/2018 <sup>(1)</sup>		A		140,000		04/04/2019 <sup>(2)</sup>	04/04/2028	Ordinary Shares	140,000	\$44.16	140,000	D	
Restricted Stock Unit Award	\$0	04/04/2018 <sup>(1)</sup>		A		25,000		04/04/2019 <sup>(3)</sup>	(3)	Ordinary Shares	25,000	\$0	25,000	D	

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Late filing due to administrative error.
- 2. Shares subject to the stock option award vest in four equal annual installments commencing on 4/4/2019.
- $3. \ Shares \ subject \ to \ the \ restricted \ stock \ unit \ award \ vest \ in \ four \ equal \ annual \ installments \ commencing \ on \ 4/4/2019.$

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorneyin-fact for James A. Robinson, 07/03/2018

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Price

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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