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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)					
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(Last) (First) (Middle)					3. D	Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									Offic belov	er (give title w)	Other belov	(specify	
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					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street)																			
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		Tabl	e I - I	Non-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quire	ed, Di	sposed o	f, or E	Benefic	ially (Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y				Execution Date,		_			Acquired (A) or (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and !		Secui Benet Owne		ficially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
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Ordinary Shares 12/26/201			013	13		S ⁽¹⁾		20,000	D	\$40.96	.9666(2)		10,281	D					
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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 Exer Expiration I (Month/Day/		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Pri Deriv Secu (Insti	ative de rity Se . 5) Be Ov Fo Re	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$40.665 to \$41.23. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price can be furnished to the SEC staff upon request.

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorneyin-fact for Floyd Bloom 12/27/2013

** 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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