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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A LANDINE I	ddress of Repo	_	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	Alkermes plc. [ALKS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
852 WINTER ST.			(Month/Day/Year) 05/11/2017	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, Corp Dev., Alkermes, Inc.			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
WALTHAM	M, MA 02451	1		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	quired. Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner			

(City)	(State)	Table 1 - 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. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactionor Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Ordinary Shares	05/11/2017		M(1)	10,000 A	\$ 15.95	172,370	D		
Ordinary Shares	05/11/2017		S(2)	10,000 D	\$ 57.0082	162,370	D		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

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					Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Q St O (F	on ualified tock ption Right to uy)	\$ 15.95	05/11/2017		M <u>(1)</u>		10,000	<u>(4)</u>	06/01/2017	Ordinary Shares	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LANDINE MICHAEL J 852 WINTER ST. WALTHAM, MA 02451

SVP, Corp Dev., Alkermes, Inc.

Signatures

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorney-in-fact for Michael J.

Landine 05/11/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (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) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$56.75 to \$57.30. 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.

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