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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Peterson Rebecca			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Alkermes plc. [ALKS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
852 WINTER	ST.		05/21/2013	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) SVP, Corporate Communications		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
WALTHAM, I	MA 02451		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	ırities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		sed of 4 and (A) or	` ′	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	05/21/2013		M	2,500	A	\$ 0	2,500	D	
Ordinary Shares	05/21/2013		F	816	D	\$ 31.98	1,684	D	
Ordinary Shares	05/22/2013		S <u>(1)</u>	1,684	D	\$ 32.5018	0	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)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		7. Title and of Underlyin Securities (Instr. 3 and	ng
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit Award	\$ 0	05/21/2013		M	2,500	05/21/2013(3)	(3)	Ordinary Shares	2,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Peterson Rebecca 852 WINTER ST.

SVP, Corporate Communications

WALTHAM, MA 02451

Signatures

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorney-in-fact for Rebecca Peterson

05/22/2013

**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 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 \$32.49 to \$32.51. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price can be furnished to the SEC staff upon request.
- (3) Shares subject to the restricted stock unit award vest in equal annual installments over a four year period, commencing on 5/21/13.

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