Alkermes plc. Form 4 March 04, 2016

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.

Form 4 or

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

OMB APPROVAL

Estimated average

burden hours per

3235-0287

January 31,

2005

0.5

OMB

Number:

Expires:

response...

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BIBERSTEIN KATHRYN L			2. Issuer Symbol	Name and	Ticker or Trading	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			Alkerm	es plc. [A	LKS]	(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of	Earliest Tr	ransaction					
			(Month/D	ay/Year)		Director	10%	Owner		
852 WINTER ST.			03/03/20	016		X Officer (give title Other (speci below) below) EVP/CLO/CCO Alks Inc; Sec ALK				
						EVITCEOTC	CO Aiks IIIC, 50	CALKS		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)			Applicable Line)				
WALTHAM	M, MA 02451					_X_ Form filed by 0 Form filed by M Person	1 0			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Year			3. Transactio	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct			

(City)	(State)	Table I - 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. Securitie Transaction(A) or Disp Code (Instr. 3, 4 (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Ordinary Shares	03/03/2016		M	4,218	A	\$ 20.79	8,130	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/03/2016		M	855	A	\$ 14.38	8,985	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/03/2016		M	5,000	A	\$ 15.95	13,985	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/03/2016		M	1,434	A	\$ 14.13	15,419	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/03/2016		M	3,500	A	\$ 0	18,919	D	

Ordinary By 2015 94,000 I Shares GRAT (1)

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

Persons who respond to the collection of SEC 1474 information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

(9-02)

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.79	03/03/2016		M	4,218	(2)	05/02/2016	Ordinary Shares	4,218
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.38	03/03/2016		M	855	<u>(2)</u>	12/12/2016	Ordinary Shares	855
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.95	03/03/2016		M	5,000	<u>(2)</u>	06/01/2017	Ordinary Shares	5,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.13	03/03/2016		M	1,434	<u>(2)</u>	11/05/2017	Ordinary Shares	1,434
Restricted Stock Unit Award	\$ 0	03/03/2016		M	3,500	03/03/2015(3)	<u>(3)</u>	Ordinary Shares	3,500

Edgar Filing: Alkermes plc. - Form 4

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BIBERSTEIN KATHRYN L

852 WINTER ST.

WALTHAM, MA 02451

EVP/CLO/CCO

Alks Inc; Sec ALKS

Signatures

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorney-in-fact for Kathryn L.

Biberstein

03/04/2016

**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).
- Shares held by the Kathryn L. Biberstein 2015 Annuity Trust dated December 11, 2015 (the "2015 GRAT"). The Reporting Person is a
- (1) trustee and beneficiary of the 2015 GRAT and may be deemed to hold voting and dispositive power with regard to the reported shares held by the 2015 GRAT.
- (2) These options are fully vested in accordance with their terms.
- (3) Shares subject to the restricted stock unit award vest in equal annual installments over a four year period, commencing 3/3/2015.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

Reporting Owners 3