Alkermes plc. Form 4 September 15, 2016

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

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

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

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * snyderman nancy lynn MD

> (First) (Middle)

CONNAUGHT HOUSE, 1 **BURLINGTON ROAD**

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Alkermes plc. [ALKS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/14/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

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2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

(Instr. 3 and 4)

(I) (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership

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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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of Transaction Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	or (I	acquired (or Dispose D) (instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of				
				Code V	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shar
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 47.65	09/14/2016		A	2	27,400		09/14/2017(1)	09/14/2026	Ordinary Shares	27,40
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 47.65	09/14/2016		A	1	6,200		09/14/2017 <u>(2)</u>	09/14/2026	Ordinary Shares	16,20

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
snyderman nancy lynn MD							
CONNAUGHT HOUSE	X						
1 BURLINGTON ROAD	Λ						
DUBLIN 4 L2							

Signatures

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorney-in-fact for Nancy Snyderman 09/15/2016

**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).
- (1) This option vests in 3 equal annual installments commencing on 9/14/17.
- (2) This option becomes exercisable in full on 9/14/17.

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