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Form 4

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Form 5

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Adaptimmune Therapeutics PLC

[ADAP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

1954 GREENSPRING

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

03/26/2018

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

DRIVE, SUITE 600

(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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

TIMONIUM, MD 21093

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative Se	ecuriti	es Acquire	ed, Disposed of, o	r Beneficially	y 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) or TransactiorDisposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Ordinary Shares			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
with a nominal value of 0.001 GBP per share (1)	03/26/2018		P	571,164 (1)	A	\$ 1.9041 (2)	73,978,672 (1)	I	See Note 3 (3)
Ordinary Shares with a	03/27/2018		P	6,000,000 (1)	A	\$ 1.9167 (4)	79,978,672 (1)	I	See Note 3 (3)

nominal value of 0.001 GBP per share (1)

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)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. 6. Date Exercity of Expiration D (Month/Day/ Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SANDELL SCOTT D 1954 GREENSPRING DRIVE SUITE 600 TIMONIUM, MD 21093		X				

Signatures

/s/ Sasha Keough, attorney-in-fact 03/28/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Dat

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).

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The ordinary shares whose purchase is reported on this line are represented by American Depositary Shares ("ADSs") and are held of record by New Enterprise Associates 14, L.P. ("NEA 14"). NEA 14 holds these ordinary shares in the form of ADSs. Each ADS represents six ordinary shares of Adaptimmune Therapeutics plc. The ordinary shares reported in column 5 are represented by ADSs.

The price reported in Column 4 of \$1.9041 per ordinary share is a weighted average price derived from the weighted average price of \$11.4247 per ADS, divided by six. These ADSs were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$11.17 to \$12 per ADS,

- (2) inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of ADSs purchased at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote (2) to this Form 4.
 - The Reporting Person is a director of NEA 14 GP, LTD, which is the sole general partner of NEA Partners 14, L.P. ("NEA Partners 14").
- (3) NEA Partners 14 is the sole general partner of NEA 14, which is the direct beneficial owner of the securities. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership, within the meaning of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise of such portion of the NEA 14 shares in which the Reporting Person has no pecuniary interest.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 of \$1.9167 per ordinary share is a price derived from the price of \$11.50 per ADS, divided by six.

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