ALKERMES INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WALL MICHAEL A			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			ALKERMES INC [ALKS]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	irst) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
88 SIDNEY STREET			05/31/2006	Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
CAMBRIDO	GE, MA 02	139		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(State)

(City)

(City)	(State) (A	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	05/31/2006		M	5,000	A	\$ 5	702,450	D		
Common Stock	05/31/2006		M	5,000	A	\$ 7.94	707,450	D		
Common Stock	05/31/2006		M	5,000	A	\$ 9.39	712,450	D		
Common Stock	05/31/2006		M	5,000	A	\$ 7.19	717,450	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5	05/31/2006		M		5,000	01/25/1997(1)	07/25/2006	Commo Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.19	05/31/2006		M		5,000	03/18/2003(1)	09/18/2012	Commo Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.94	05/31/2006		M		5,000	01/25/1998(1)	07/25/2007	Commo Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.39	05/31/2006		M		5,000	01/29/1999(1)	07/29/2008	Commo Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.04	09/21/2006		A(2)	20,000		03/21/2007(1)	09/21/2016	Commo Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
WALL MICHAEL A 88 SIDNEY STREET CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139	X							

Signatures

By: John P Gaspar, Attorney-in-Fact For: Michael A Wall 09/21/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) The option becomes exercisable in full six months from date of grant.
- (2) Grant to reporting person of non-qualified stock option pursuant to the Alkermes, Inc. 1999 Stock Option Plan.

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