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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Pugh Gordon G			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Alkermes plc. [ALKS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
852 WINTER	ST.		(Month/Day/Year) 07/31/2013	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, COO & CRO, Alkermes, Inc.		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Chec Applicable Line)		
WALTHAM, MA 02451				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)		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	07/31/2013		M	8,136	A	\$ 12.29	36,676	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/31/2013		F	2,977	D	\$ 33.58	33,699	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/31/2013		M	6,269	A	\$ 15.95	39,968	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/31/2013		F	2,977	D	\$ 33.58	36,991	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/31/2013		M	177	A	\$ 14.38	37,168	D	

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Ordinary Shares	07/31/2013	F	75	D	\$ 33.58	37,093	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/31/2013	M	4,687	A	\$ 20.79	41,780	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/31/2013	F	2,901	D	\$ 33.58	38,879	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/31/2013	M	5,376	A	\$ 18.6	44,255	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/31/2013	F	2,977	D	\$ 33.58	41,278	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/31/2013	M	520	A	\$ 14.9	41,798	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/31/2013	F	230	D	\$ 33.58	41,568	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/31/2013	M	7,500	A	\$ 12.3	49,068	D	
Ordinary Shares	07/31/2013	F	2,747	D	\$ 33.58	46,321	D	
Ordinary Shares						5,000	I	Gordon G. Pugh Revocable Trust - 2012
Ordinary Shares						15,000	I	Nancy E. Pugh Revocable Trust - 2012

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)

Security or Exercise any		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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			Code V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.29	07/31/2013	M	8,136	<u>(1)</u>	05/27/2018	Ordinary Shares	8,136
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.95	07/31/2013	M	6,269	<u>(1)</u>	06/01/2017	Ordinary Shares	6,269
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.38	07/31/2013	M	177	<u>(1)</u>	12/12/2016	Ordinary Shares	177
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.79	07/31/2013	M	4,687	<u>(1)</u>	05/02/2016	Ordinary Shares	4,687
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.6	07/31/2013	M	5,376	<u>(1)</u>	12/09/2015	Ordinary Shares	5,376
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.9	07/31/2013	M	520	<u>(1)</u>	12/17/2014	Ordinary Shares	520
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 12.3	07/31/2013	M	7,500	<u>(1)</u>	07/12/2014	Ordinary Shares	7,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer		Other
			CLUD COO 0 CDO A11		

SVP, COO & CRO, Alkermes, Inc.

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Pugh Gordon G 852 WINTER ST. WALTHAM, MA 02451

Signatures

/s/ Shantale Harb, attorney-in-fact for Gordon G.
Pugh

08/02/2013

**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) These options are fully vested in accordance with their terms.

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