

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Ehrich Elliot

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Alkermes plc. [ALKS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
852 WINTER ST.  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
05/17/2013

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
SVP, R&D & CMO, Alkermes, Inc.

WALTHAM, MA 02451

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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(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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Ordinary Shares	05/17/2013		M	4,175	A \$ 0	20,754	D
Ordinary Shares	05/17/2013		F	1,971	D \$ 31.69	18,783	D
Ordinary Shares	05/20/2013		S <sup>(1)</sup>	2,204	D \$ 31.59	16,579	D
Ordinary Shares	05/20/2013		M	3,750	A \$ 0	20,329	D
Ordinary Shares	05/20/2013		F	1,770	D \$ 31.04	18,559	D

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Ordinary Shares      05/21/2013                                    S<sup>(1)</sup>      1,980   D      \$ 30.56      16,579      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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
					Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		
Restricted Stock Unit Award	\$ 0	05/17/2013		M	V	(A) 4,175	(D)	05/17/2011 <sup>(2)</sup>	<sup>(2)</sup>	Ordinary Shares 4,175
Restricted Stock Unit Award	\$ 0	05/20/2013		M	V	(A) 3,750	(D)	05/20/2012 <sup>(3)</sup>	<sup>(3)</sup>	Ordinary Shares 3,750

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Ehrich Elliot 852 WINTER ST. WALTHAM, MA 02451			SVP, R&D & CMO, Alkermes, Inc.	

## Signatures

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorney-in-fact for Elliot  
Ehrich

05/21/2013

                    \*\*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) This sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.

(2) Shares subject to the restricted stock unit award vest in equal annual installments over a four year period, commencing on 5/17/11.

(3) Shares subject to the restricted stock unit award vest in equal annual installments over a four year period, commencing on 5/20/12.

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