

ALIMERA SCIENCES INC  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
Flynn James E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
ALIMERA SCIENCES INC [ALIM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
780 THIRD AVENUE, 37TH FLOOR,  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
10/19/2015

\_\_\_\_ Director  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  
\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Possible Member of 10% Group

NEW YORK, NY 10017

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
\_\_\_\_ 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. 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)   |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (D)  | Price   |
| Common Stock                    | 10/19/2015                           |  | P                              |   | 64,613  | A  | \$ 2,9224 (1)   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 4,267,502   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | I   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | Through Deerfield Special Situations Fund, L.P. (4) (5) |
| Common Stock                    | 10/19/2015                           |  | P                              |   | 64,613  | A  | \$ 2,9224 (1)   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 235,811   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | I   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | Through Deerfield Private Design Fund III, L.P. (4) (5) |
|                                 | 10/20/2015                           |  | P                              |   | 50,065  | A  | 4,317,567   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | I   |

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|--------------|------------|--|---|--------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------|---|--|
| Common Stock |            |  |   |        | \$<br>2.9973<br>(2) |                     |           |   | Through Deerfield Special Situations Fund, L.P. (4)<br>(5)         |
| Common Stock | 10/20/2015 |  | P | 50,065 | A                   | \$<br>2.9973<br>(2) | 285,876   | I | Through Deerfield Private Design Fund III, L.P. (4)<br>(5)         |
| Common Stock | 10/21/2015 |  | P | 80,342 | A                   | \$<br>3.0002<br>(3) | 4,397,909 | I | Through Deerfield Special Situations Fund, L.P. (4)<br>(5)         |
| Common Stock | 10/21/2015 |  | P | 80,342 | A                   | \$<br>3.0002<br>(3) | 366,218   | I | Through Deerfield Private Design Fund III, L.P. (4)<br>(5)         |
| Common Stock |            |  |   |        |                     |                     | 181,222   | I | Through Deerfield Private Design Fund II, L.P. (4)<br>(5)          |
| Common Stock |            |  |   |        |                     |                     | 207,667   | I | Through Deerfield Private Design International II, L.P. (4)<br>(5) |

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 Acquired | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5) |
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| Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |
|------|---|-----|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-------|--|
|------|---|-----|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-------|--|

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |         |                              |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|------------------------------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other                        |
| Flynn James E<br>780 THIRD AVENUE, 37TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY 10017   |               | X         |         | Possible Member of 10% Group |
| Deerfield Mgmt L.P.<br>780 THIRD AVENUE<br>37TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY 10017                                   |               | X         |         | Possible Member of 10% Group |
| DEERFIELD MANAGEMENT CO<br>780 THIRD AVENUE, 37TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY 10017                                 |               | X         |         | Possible Member of 10% Group |
| Deerfield Special Situations Fund, L.P.<br>780 3RD AVENUE<br>37TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY 10017                 |               | X         |         | Possible Member of 10% Group |
| Deerfield Private Design Fund II, L.P.<br>780 THIRD AVENUE, 37TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY 10017                  |               | X         |         | Possible Member of 10% Group |
| Deerfield Mgmt III, L.P.<br>780 THIRD AVENUE, 37TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY 10017                                |               | X         |         | Possible Member of 10% Group |
| Deerfield Private Design Fund III, L.P.<br>780 THIRD AVENUE, 37TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY 10017                 |               | X         |         | Possible Member of 10% Group |
| Deerfield Private Design International II, L.P.<br>BISON COURT, P.O. BOX 3460<br>ROAD TOWN, TORTOLA, D8 00000 |               | X         |         | Possible Member of 10% Group |

## Signatures

/s/ Jonathan Isler 10/21/2015

\*\*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) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$2.73 to \$3.04, inclusive. The reporting persons undertake to provide to the Issuer, and security holder of the Issuer or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes (1), (2) and (3) of this Form 4.
  - (2) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$2.96 to \$3.00, inclusive.
  - (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$2.95 to \$3.09, inclusive.
- This Form 4 is being filed by the undersigned as well as the entities listed on the Joint Filer Information Statement attached as an exhibit hereto (the "Reporting Persons"). Deerfield Mgmt III, L.P. is the general partner of Deerfield Private Design Fund III, L.P. ("Fund III"). Deerfield Mgmt L.P. is the general partner of Deerfield Special Situations Fund, L.P., Deerfield Private Design Fund II, L.P. and Deerfield Private Design International II, L.P. (collectively with Fund III, the "Funds"). Deerfield Management Company, L.P. is the investment manager of the Funds. James E. Flynn is the sole member of the general partner of each of Deerfield Mgmt III, L.P., Deerfield Mgmt, L.P. and Deerfield Management Company, L.P.
- (5) In accordance with Instruction 4 (b)(iv) to Form 4, the entire amount of the Issuer's securities held by the Funds is reported herein. For purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, each Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of any such securities, except to the extent of his/its indirect pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that such Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or otherwise.

### Remarks:

Jonathan Isler, Attorney-in-Fact: Power of Attorney, which is hereby incorporated by reference to Exhibit 24 to a Form 3 with

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