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Alkermes plc. Form 4 April 20, 2016 FORM 4 Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction See Instruction See Instruction Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940								OMB Number: Expires: Estimated a burden hour response	•		
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(Print or Type	e Responses)										
LANDINE MICHAEL J Symbol				suer Name and Ticker or Trading ol rmes plc. [ALKS]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Chec						k all applicable)			
(Month/) 852 WINTER ST. 04/20/2				th/Day/Year) 0/2016				Director 10% Owner X_Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) SVP, Corp Dev., Alkermes, Inc.			
				(Month/Day/Year) Applica _X_Fo				lual or Joint/Group Filing(Check e Line) filed by One Reporting Person filed by More than One Reporting			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	fable I - Non	-Derivative	e Secu		ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code	onor Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	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)		
Ordinary Shares	04/20/2016		M <u>(1)</u>	12,657	A	\$ 20.79	159,419	D			
Ordinary Shares	04/20/2016		M <u>(1)</u>	4,218	A	\$ 20.79	163,637	D			
Ordinary Shares	04/20/2016		S <u>(2)</u>	9,993	D	\$ 40.971 (3)	153,644	D			
Ordinary Shares	04/20/2016		S <u>(2)</u>	6,882	D	\$ 41.2641 (4)	146,762	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ctionDerivative Securities 3) 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.79	04/20/2016		M <u>(1)</u>		12,657	<u>(5)</u>	05/02/2016	Ordinary Shares	12,657
Incentive Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.79	04/20/2016		M <u>(1)</u>		4,218	(5)	05/02/2016	Ordinary Shares	4,218

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LANDINE MICHAEL J 852 WINTER ST. WALTHAM, MA 02451			SVP, Corp Dev., Alkermes, Inc.				
Signatures							

Signatures

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorney-in-fact for Michael J. Landine

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

04/20/2016

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 option exercise was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.

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- (2) This sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$40.235 to \$41.22. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price can be furnished to the SEC staff upon request.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$41.23 to \$41.33. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price can be furnished to the SEC staff upon request.
- (5) These options are fully vested in accordance with their terms.

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