ALKERMES INC Form 4

August 10, 2007

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Washington, D.C. 20549

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SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BREYER ROBERT A**

(Zip)

(First) (Middle)

88 SIDNEY ST

08/08/2007

(Street)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ALKERMES INC [ALKS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactio	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of		5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
				(A)		Reported Transaction(s)			
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	08/08/2007		S(1)	3,500	D	\$ 18	85,116	D	
Common Stock	08/08/2007		M(1)	2,500	A	\$ 7.19	87,616	D	
Common Stock	08/08/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	2,500	D	\$ 18	85,116	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. 5. Number Transactiomf Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Am Underlying Sect (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	A or Title N of SI
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 7.19	08/08/2007		M <u>(1)</u>	2,500	08/08/2007(2)	09/18/2012	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer Other				
BREYER ROBERT A 88 SIDNEY ST CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139	X						

Signatures

Anne M Zielinski, Attorney-in-Fact for Robert A
Breyer

08/10/2007

**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) The option becomes exercisable in full six months from date of grant.

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