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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 1(b). Form 3 Holdings Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section Reported 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 Form 4

Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of

securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

BIBERSTEIN KATHRYN L			Symbol Alkermes plc. [ALKS]				I	Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (M	iddle) 3.	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2015				_	(Check all applicable) Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify			
852 WINTE	R ST.		2,01,20	.10				elow)	below) O, Secretary &	ССО	
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				ϵ	6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting			
							(check applicable line)				
WALTHAM	, MA 02451						_	X_Form Filed by Form Filed by l Person	One Reporting Po		
(City)	(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 D any (Month/Day	Date, if	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4)	(A) or of (D))	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Ordinary Shares	12/08/2015	Â		G	500	D	\$0	1,379 (1)	D	Â	
Ordinary Shares	Â	Â		Â	Â	Â	Â	94,000	I	By 2015 GRAT (2)	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
	·				(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration		or	
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number	
									of	
					(A) (D)				Shares	

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Transfer of the same	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BIBERSTEIN KATHRYN L 852 WINTER ST. WALTHAM, MA 02451	Â	Â	SVP, CLO, Secretary & CCO	Â		

Signatures

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorney-in-fact for Kathryn L. Biberstein

**Signature of Reporting Person

02/10/2016

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).
 - Excludes 94,000 shares previously owned directly which were contributed to the Kathryn L. Biberstein 2015 Annuity Trust dated
- (1) December 11, 2015 (the "2015 GRAT") on December 14, 2015, which was exempt from reporting obligations by virtue of Rule 16a-13 promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- (2) Shares held by the 2015 GRAT. The Reporting Person is a trustee and beneficiary of the 2015 GRAT and may be deemed to hold voting and dispositive power with regard to the reported shares held by the 2015 GRAT.

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