Horizon Pharma plc Form 4 March 24, 2016

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Beeler Brian K Issuer Symbol Horizon Pharma plc [HZNP] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O HORIZON PHARMA 03/23/2016 below) PLC, CONNAUGHT HOUSE, 1ST EVP, General Counsel FL, 1 BURLINGTON RD (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

DUBLIN, L24

(State)

(Zip)

(City)

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

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	3. T	4. Securities Acquired			5. Amount of	6. Ownership			
Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Code	ransaction(A) or Disposed of (D)			Securities Beneficially	Form: Direct (D) or	Indirect Beneficial	
(IIISu. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
		(Monun/Day/Tear)	(IIISU. 0)				Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)		Reported			
					or		Transaction(s)			
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Ordinary Shares	03/23/2016		M	9,500	A	<u>(1)</u>	40,036	D		
Ordinary Shares	03/23/2016		F	2,955	D	\$ 16.32	37,081	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)	a 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities 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)		8. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/23/2016		M	9,500	(2)	(2)	Ordinary Shares	9,500	\$

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Beeler Brian K C/O HORIZON PHARMA PLC CONNAUGHT HOUSE, 1ST FL, 1 BURLINGTON RD DUBLIN, L2 4

EVP, General Counsel

### **Signatures**

/s/ Paul W. Hoelscher, Attorney-in-Fact 03/24/2016

\*\*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) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one ordinary share of the Issuer.
- (2) On March 23, 2015, the reporting person was granted 38,000 restricted stock units, vesting in four equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

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