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1. Name and Pugh Gord	Symbol	er Name and Ticker or Trading				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) 852 WINT	3. Date of	of Earliest Transaction Day/Year)				(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) SVP, COO & CRO, Alkermes, Inc.			
WALTHA		endment, Date Original nth/Day/Year)				 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person 			
(City)	(State) (Zip)	Table	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acc	uired, Disposed o	of, or Benefici	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year) Execu any	ansaction Date 2A. Deemed th/Day/Year) Execution Date, if				cquired d of (D) 5) Price	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	03/03/2016		Code V M	Amount 3,250	A	\$ 0	8,004	D	
Ordinary Shares	03/03/2016		F	1,055	D	\$ 32.91	6,949	D	
Ordinary Shares							47,781	I	Gordon G. Pugh Revocable Trust - 2012
Ordinary Shares							6,989	Ι	By GRAT

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Ordinary Shares					1	3,101 I		Nancy E. Pugh Revocable Trust - 2012					
Reminder: Re	port on a sepa	rate line for each	class of securities ben	Person informa require	s who respon ition containe d to respond s a currently	re not	SEC 1474 (9-02)						
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 1 (Month/Day/Yo	Date 3A. Deemed ear) Execution Date, any (Month/Day/Ye	Code	5. Number for Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)					
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiratior Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Unit Award	\$ 0	03/03/201	6	М	3,250	03/03/2015 <u>(2)</u>	(2)	Ordinary Shares	3,250				
Reporting Owners													
Poporting (wnor Nomo /	Addross		Relatio	nships								
Reporting Owner Name / Address Director		ctor 10% Owner	Officer			Other							
Pugh Gordon G 852 WINTER ST. WALTHAM, MA 02451			SVP, COO & CRO, Alkermes, In										
Signat	ures												
/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorney-in-fact for Gordon G. Pugh 03/04/2016													
**Signature of Reporting Person				031	Date								

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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) Shares held by KAS Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated December 16, 2014 (the "GRAT"). The Reporting Person's spouse is a trustee and beneficiary of the GRAT.
- (2) Shares subject to the restricted stock unit award vest in equal annual installments over a four year period, commencing 3/3/2015.

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