

HENWOOD GERALDINE
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HENWOOD GERALDINE

(Last) (First) (Middle)

TREASURY BUILDING, LOWER
GRAND CANAL STREET

(Street)

DUBLIN 2

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Alkermes plc. [ALKS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
09/16/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Amount		
				Code	V		Price

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.61	09/16/2011	A	10,000					<u>(1)</u>	10/16/2011	Common Stock	10,000
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.91	09/16/2011	A	8,000					<u>(1)</u>	04/24/2013	Common Stock	8,000
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.91	09/16/2011	A	20,000					<u>(1)</u>	04/24/2013	Common Stock	20,000
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.44	09/16/2011	A	20,000					<u>(1)</u>	09/09/2013	Common Stock	20,000
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.84	09/16/2011	A	20,000					<u>(1)</u>	09/23/2014	Common Stock	20,000
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.77	09/16/2011	A	20,000					<u>(1)</u>	09/23/2015	Common Stock	20,000
Non Qualified Stock	\$ 14.04	09/16/2011	A	20,000					<u>(1)</u>	09/21/2016	Common Stock	20,000

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- (2) Received in exchange for, and having substantially the same terms as, stock options of Alkermes, Inc. common stock in connection with the merger of Alkermes, Inc. and the global drug delivery technologies business of Elan (the "Merger").

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