MOTT DAVID M

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MOTT DAVID M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Adaptimmune Therapeutics PLC [ADAP]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

09/07/2018

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

1954 GREENSPRING DRIVE, SUITE 600

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

TIMONIUM, MD 21093

(Middle)

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Ta | ble I - Non | -Derivative Sec | curitie | s Acquired | l, 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. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or TransactionDisposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| Ordinary Shares | | | Code V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | (I) (Instr. 4) | |
| with a nominal value of 0.001 GBP per share (1) | 09/07/2018 | | P | 3,000,000 | A | \$ 1.6667 (2) | 82,978,668 (1) | I | See Note 3 (3) |
| Ordinary Shares with a | 09/07/2018 | | P | 12,000,000 (4) | A | \$ 1.6667 (2) | 12,000,000 | I | See Note 5 (5) |

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nominal value of 0.001 GBP per share (4)

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) | 4. Transac Code (Instr. 8 | 5. etionNumber of Securitie Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (Month/Day/ ve es d | ate | Amou Unde Secur | le and unt of rlying rities . 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--|---|---|
| | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| MOTT DAVID M 1954 GREENSPRING DRIVE SUITE 600 TIMONIUM, MD 21093 | X | X | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Sasha Keough, 09/10/2018 attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

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)

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The ordinary shares whose purchase is reported on this line are represented by American Depositary Shares ("ADSs") and are held of record by New Enterprise Associates 14, L.P. ("NEA 14"). NEA 14 holds these ordinary shares in the form of ADSs. Each ADS represents six ordinary shares of Adaptimmune Therapeutics plc. The ordinary shares reported in column 5 are represented by ADSs.

- (2) The price reported in Column 4 of \$1.6667 per ordinary share is a price derived from the price of \$10.00 per ADS, divided by six.
 - The Reporting Person is a director of NEA 14 GP, LTD, which is the sole general partner of NEA Partners 14, L.P. ("NEA Partners 14").
- (3) NEA Partners 14 is the sole general partner of NEA 14, which is the direct beneficial owner of the securities. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership, within the meaning of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise of such portion of the securities held by NEA 14 in which the Reporting Person has no pecuniary interest.
- The ordinary shares whose purchase is reported on this line are represented by American Depositary Shares ("ADSs") and are held of record by New Enterprise Associates 16, L.P. ("NEA 16"). NEA 16 holds these ordinary shares in the form of ADSs. Each ADS represents six ordinary shares of Adaptimmune Therapeutics plc. The ordinary shares reported in column 5 are represented by ADSs.
- The Reporting Person is a manager of NEA 16 GP, LLC, ("NEA 16 GP") which is the sole general partner of NEA Partners 16, L.P.

 ("NEA Partners 16"). NEA Partners 16 is the sole general partner of NEA 16, which is the direct beneficial owner of the securities. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership within the meaning of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise of such portion of the securities held by NEA 16 in which the Reporting Person has no pecuniary interest.

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