

BLOOM FLOYD E  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
BLOOM FLOYD E  
  
(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
TREASURY BUILDING, LOWER  
GRAND CANAL STREET

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

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

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

(Street)  
  
DUBLIN 2

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

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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	09/16/2011		A		90,281	A	11	90,281	D	
Common Stock	09/16/2011		A		9,028	A	11	9,028	I	Floyd E Bloom Charitable Remainder Trust
Common Stock	09/16/2011		A		21,066	A	11	21,066	I	Jody Corey-Bloom Charitable Remainder Trust

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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)	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)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.19	09/16/2011		A	20,000	(2) 09/18/2012	Common Stock 20,000
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.44	09/16/2011		A	20,000	(2) 09/09/2013	Common Stock 20,000
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.84	09/16/2011		A	20,000	(2) 09/23/2014	Common Stock 20,000
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16.77	09/16/2011		A	20,000	(2) 09/23/2015	Common Stock 20,000
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.04	09/16/2011		A	20,000	(2) 09/21/2016	Common Stock 20,000

Buy)

Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 18.29	09/16/2011	A	20,000	(2)	10/09/2017	Common Stock	20,000
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.44	09/16/2011	A	20,000	(2)	10/07/2018	Common Stock	20,000
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 8.98	09/16/2011	A	20,000	(2)	10/06/2019	Common Stock	20,000
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.92	09/16/2011	A	20,000	(2)	10/05/2020	Common Stock	20,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BLOOM FLOYD E TREASURY BUILDING LOWER GRAND CANAL STREET DUBLIN 2	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Jennifer Baptiste, attorney-in-fact for Floyd  
Bloom 09/20/2011

\_\_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).

Received in exchange for shares of Alkermes, Inc. common stock in connection with the merger of Alkermes, Inc. and the global drug (1) delivery technologies business of Elan (the "Merger"). On 9/16/11, the effective date of the Merger, the closing price of ALKS was \$16.57 per share.

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- (2) These options are fully vested in accordance with their terms.
- (3) Received in exchange for, and having substantially the same terms as, stock options of Alkermes, Inc. common stock in connection with the Merger.

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