Adaptimmune Therapeutics PLC Form 4

January 20, 2016

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Noble James

(First) (Middle)

FLAT 12, VICTORIA GARDENS,

15, MARSTON FERRY ROAD

(Street)

(State)

OXFORD, X0 OX2 7EF

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Adaptimmune Therapeutics PLC [ADAP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

01/18/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

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

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

Following Reported (A) Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) 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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative Derivative Conversion

5. Number of

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Chief Executive Officer

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

> (I) (Instr. 4)

10% Owner

Other (specify

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Indirect

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

Issuer

below)

_X__ Director

Applicable Line)

5. Amount of

Securities

Owned

Beneficially

X_ Officer (give title

Estimated average

burden hours per

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5	(Month/Day	/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Option to purchase Ordinary Shares	\$ 1.2717	01/18/2016		A	1,968,016	(2)	01/18/2026	Ordinary Shares	1,968,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

Noble James

FLAT 12, VICTORIA GARDENS, 15 MARSTON FERRY ROAD OXFORD, X0 OX2 7EF

Chief Executive Officer

Relationships

Signatures

/s/ James Noble 01/20/2016

**Signature of Pate 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).
- The exercise price was converted from GBP0.89 based on the noon buying rate of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York for the U.S. (1) dollar on the business day prior to the date of grant. The actual exercise price will be the pounds sterling amount regardless of the
- exchange rate on the date of grant or of exercise.

 Exercisable as to 492,004 Ordinary Shares on January 18, 2017 and will be exercisable as to the remainder in monthly installments of
- (2) 41,000 Ordinary Shares on the eighteenth of each month from February 18, 2017 through December 18, 2019, and in one installment of 41,012 Ordinary Shares on January 18, 2020.

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