FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  GREER R SCOTT						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol NEKTAR THERAPEUTICS [ NKTR ]								eck all appli	cable) or		son(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O NEKTAR THERAPEUTICS 455 MISSION BAY BOULEVARD SOUTH						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/04/2018								below)			Other (s		
(Street) SAN FRANCISCO CA 94158  (City) (State) (Zip)							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable )  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tab	le I - No	on-Deriv	vative	e Sec	urit	ies Ac	quired	, Di	sposed o	of, or Be	neficial	ly Owne					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D					Exe r) if a	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquire			Securiti Benefic Owned	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		rect direct 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 06/04/2					/2018	018			М		1,400	A	\$5.14	13	1,733	D			
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 06/04/					/2018	2018					1,400	D	\$61.99	130,333		D			
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 06/06/2					/2018	.018			М		8,600	A	\$5.14	138,933		D			
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 06/06/2				/2018	018			S		8,600	D	\$60	130	0,333	D				
		7	able II								oosed of converti			Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deer Execution if any (Month/E		4. Transa Code ( 8)		ion of		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		te	7. Title an Amount o Securities Underlyin Derivative (Instr. 3 au	f g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly Ow Oir Oir Or (I)	vnership rm: ect (D) Indirect (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ble	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option <sup>(1)</sup>	\$5.14	06/04/2018			М			1,400	09/30/20	)12	09/12/2019	Common Stock	1,400	\$0.00	28,600		D		
Stock Option <sup>(1)</sup>	\$5.14	06/06/2018			М			8,600	09/30/20	)12	09/12/2019	Common Stock	8,600	\$0.00	20,000		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. This transaction was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- 2. This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$60.50 to \$62.27. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide full information regarding the number of shares and the prices at which the transactions were effected upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.

## Remarks:

Mark A. Wilson, Attorney-in-

06/06/2018

**Fact** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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).

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