FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  GREER R SCOTT					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEKTAR THERAPEUTICS [ NKTR ]							(Ch	eck all applic	cable) or	ing Person(s) to Issu 10% Ow		ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O NEKTAR THERAPEUTICS 455 MISSION BAY BOULEVARD SOUTH					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/19/2013							Officer below)	icer (give title ow)		Other (specify below)		
(Street) SAN FRANCI	C		94158	4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	e) X Form f	r Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable I filed by One Reporting Person I filed by More than One Reporting On				
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		Tab	le I - Non-D	Derivativ	e Se	curities	s Ac	quired, D	ispos	ed o	f, or Be	neficial	y Owned	<u> </u>			
Date			Transactio ate lonth/Day/\	Execution Date		Date,	Code (Instr.   5)				5. Amou Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported	ially (D) (Following (I) (I		Direct ondirect Err. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Code	/ Am	nount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact				
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																
Derivative Conversion Date Exec Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			3A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea	Date, Transaction Code (Instr.		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y C	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expira Date	ation	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option	\$13.8	09/19/2013		A		40,000		(1)	09/18/	/2021	Common Stock	40,000	\$0	40,000		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. This stock option vests in equal monthly installments over a 1 year period beginning on September 30, 2013 based on the Reporting Person's continuous service to the Issuer.

Gilbert M. Labrucherie Jr., 09/23/2013 Attorney-in-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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