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(Last)	Name and Address of Reporting Person* GREER R SCOTT Last) (First) (Middle) 101 INDUSTRIAL ROAD					Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEKTAR THERAPEUTICS [NKTR] In the standard of the sta							(Ch	S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
(Street) SAN CA (City)	SAN CARLOS CA 94070 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				action 2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. Transacti Code (Ins	ion Di str. 5)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially		orm: Direct) or Indirect (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		e.g., puts d 4. Trans Code				er ve es d	uired, Disposed of s, options, conversed of the conversed		vertik			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				С	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		ration	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option	\$11.34	02/01/2010			A		22,500		(1)	02/01	1/2018	Common Stock	22,500	\$11.34	22,500	D		
Stock Option	\$11.34	02/01/2010			A		10,000		(2)	02/01	1/2018	Common Stock	10,000	\$11.34	32,500	D		
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.01	02/01/2010			A		7,500		(3)	((4)	Common Stock	7,500	\$0.01	7,500	D		
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0.01	02/01/2010			A		3,333		(5)	((4)	Common Stock	3,333	\$0.01	10,833	D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The shares subject to this stock option vest on a monthly pro-rata basis over a period of three (3) years commencing on February 1, 2010 (Mr. Greer's date of appointment to the Board of Directors) and ending on February 1, 2013.
- 2. The shares subject to this stock option vest on a monthly pro-rata basis over a period of eight (8) months commencing on February 1, 2010 and ending on September 30, 2010.
- 3. The shares subject to this restricted stock unit vest on a monthly pro-rata basis over a period of three (3) years commencing on February 1, 2010 and ending on February 1, 2013.
- 4. Not applicable.
- 5. The shares subject to this restricted stock unit vest on a monthly pro-rata basis over a period of eight (8) months commencing on February 1, 2010 and ending on September 30, 2010.

Gil M. Labrucherie - Attorney-02/03/2010 in-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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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