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FORM 4

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,

may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Smith Jeffrey C

> (Last) (First) (Middle)

777 THIRD AVENUE, 18TH **FLOOR**

(Street)

Symbol

PERRIGO Co plc [PRGO]

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

05/15/2018

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Issuer

NEW YORK, NY 10017

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Nor	n-Derivative	Secui	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie or Disposed o (Instr. 3, 4)	f (D)	uired (A) or Price	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)
Shares							528	D	D
Ordinary Shares							3,287,856	I	Starboard Value and Opportunity Master Fund Ltd (1)
Ordinary Shares	05/15/2018		P	61,313	A	\$ 75.1942	434,051	I	By Starboard Value and

Opportunity

								S LLC (2)
Ordinary Shares	05/15/2018	P	12,594	A	\$ 75.2755	446,645	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity S LLC (2)
Ordinary Shares	05/15/2018	P	34,947	A	\$ 75.1942	244,365	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity C LP (3)
Ordinary Shares	05/15/2018	P	7,178	A	\$ 75.2755	251,543	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity C LP (3)
Ordinary Shares	05/15/2018	P	8,574	A	\$ 75.1942	2,009,712	I	By Starboard Leaders Kilo LLC (4)
Ordinary Shares	05/15/2018	P	1,761	A	\$ 75.2755	2,011,473	I	By Starboard Leaders Kilo LLC (4)
Ordinary Shares	05/15/2018	P	1,565	A	\$ 75.1942	367,168	I	By Starboard Leaders Select III LP
Ordinary Shares	05/15/2018	P	321	A	\$ 75.2755	367,489	I	By Starboard Leaders Select III LP
Ordinary Shares	05/15/2018	P	101,001	A	\$ 75.1942	3,505,673	I	By Managed Accounts of Starboard Value LP (6)
Ordinary Shares	05/15/2018	P	20,746	A	\$ 75.2755	3,526,419	I	By Managed Accounts of Starboard Value LP (6)
Ordinary Shares	05/16/2018	P	4,808	A	\$ 75.8261	256,351	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity

								C LP (3)
Ordinary Shares	05/16/2018	P	4,514	A	\$ 75.8261	2,015,987	I	By Starboard Leaders Kilo LLC (4)
Ordinary Shares	05/16/2018	P	824	A	\$ 75.8261	368,313	I	By Starboard Leaders Select III LP
Ordinary Shares	05/16/2018	P	89,854	A	\$ 75.8261	3,616,273	I	By Managed Accounts of Starboard Value LP (6)
Ordinary Shares	05/17/2018	P	1,596	A	\$ 75.8929	257,947	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity C LP (3)
Ordinary Shares	05/17/2018	P	2,078	A	\$ 75.8929	2,018,065	I	By Starboard Leaders Kilo LLC (4)
Ordinary Shares	05/17/2018	P	379	A	\$ 75.8929	368,692	I	By Starboard Leaders Select III LP
Ordinary Shares	05/17/2018	P	45,947	A	\$ 75.8929	3,662,220	I	By Managed Accounts of Starboard Value LP (6)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, ii	Transactio	oloi Derivative	Expiration Date	of Underlying
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	Securities
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired		(Instr. 3 and 4)
	Derivative				(A) or		
	Security				Disposed of		

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(D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

					and 5)					
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(7)</u>	05/15/2018	A		3,971		05/15/2019	05/15/2019	Ordinary Shares	3,971
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(7)</u>						06/06/2018	06/06/2018	Ordinary Shares	4,265

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Smith Jeffrey C 777 THIRD AVENUE, 18TH FLOOR X NEW YORK, NY 10017

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey C. Smith 05/17/2018

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).

Ordinary shares owned directly by Starboard Value and Opportunity Master Fund Ltd ("Starboard V&O Fund"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a member of the Management Committee of Starboard Value GP LLC ("Starboard Value GP"), the general partner of the investment manager of Starboard V&O Fund, and as a member and member of the Management Committee of

- (1) Starboard Principal Co GP LLC ("Principal GP"), the general partner of the member of Starboard Value GP, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares directly held by Starboard V&O Fund for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended ("Section 16"). The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
 - Ordinary shares owned directly by Starboard Value and Opportunity S LLC ("Starboard S LLC"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a member of the Management Committee of Starboard Value GP, the general partner of the manager of Starboard S
- (2) LLC, and as a member and member of the Management Committee of Principal GP, the general partner of the member of Starboard Value GP, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares directly held by Starboard S LLC for purposes of Section 16. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
 - Ordinary shares owned directly by Starboard Value and Opportunity C LP ("Starboard C LP"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a member of the Management Committee of Starboard Value GP, the general partner of the investment manager of
- (3) Starboard C LP, and as a member and member of the Management Committee of Principal GP, the general partner of the member of Starboard Value GP, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares directly held by Starboard C LP for purposes of Section 16. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (4) Ordinary shares owned directly by Starboard Leaders Kilo LLC ("Starboard Kilo LLC"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a member of the Management Committee of Starboard Value GP, the general partner of the investment manager of Starboard Kilo LLC, and as a member and member of the Management Committee of Principal GP, the general partner of the member of Starboard

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Value GP, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares owned directly by Starboard Kilo LLC for purposes of Section 16. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

Ordinary shares owned directly by Starboard Leaders Select III LP ("Starboard Leaders Select III"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a member of the Management Committee of Starboard Value GP, the general partner of the investment manager of Starboard Leaders Select III, and as a member and member of the Management Committee of Principal GP, the general partner of the member of Starboard Value GP, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares directly held by Starboard Leaders Select III for purposes of Section 16. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

Ordinary shares held in certain accounts managed by Starboard Value LP (the "Managed Accounts"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a member of the Management Committee of Starboard Value GP, the general partner of Starboard Value LP, and as a member and member of the Management Committee of Principal GP, the general partner of the member of Starboard Value GP, may be deemed to beneficially own the shares held in the Managed Accounts for purposes of Section 16. The Reporting Person expressly

disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

(7) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one Perrigo Company plc ordinary share.

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