ALKERMES INC Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** FRATES JAMES M			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALKERMES INC [ALKS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
88 SIDNEY S	ST		04/17/2007	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
				Vice President, CFO & Treasure		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
CAMBRIDGE, MA 021394136				_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi onor Dispos (Instr. 3,	sed of 4 and (A) or	` '	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)
Common Stock	04/17/2007		M <u>(1)</u>	8,000	A	\$ 9.045	72,179	D	
Common Stock	04/17/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	8,000	D	\$ 16.8298	64,179	D	

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)		2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number opportunities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Nun of Shar
Stoc	-Qualified k Option nt to buy)	\$ 9.045	04/17/2007		M <u>(1)</u>	8,000	04/17/2007	06/29/2008	Common Stock	8,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FRATES JAMES M Vice

88 SIDNEY ST President, CFO CAMBRIDGE, MA 021394136 & Treasure

Signatures

Anne M Zielinski, Attorney-in-Fact for James M
Frates

04/19/2007

**Signature of Reporting 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).
- (1) This sale was effected pusuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person

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