

# FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <b>Noble James</b>		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>Adaptimmune Therapeutics PLC [ADAP]</b>		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) <b>Chief Executive Officer</b>				
(Last) (First) (Middle) <b>BROCK HOUSE, SHEEPDROVE, LAMBOURN</b>		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <b>01/12/2018</b>						
(Street) <b>HUNGERFORD, X0 RG17 7XA</b>		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)		<b>Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned</b>						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V				

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Option to purchase Ordinary Shares	\$ 1.3 (1)	01/12/2018		A		1,719,936		(2)	01/12/2028	Ordinary Shares	1,719,936	\$ 0	1,719,936	D	
Option to purchase Ordinary Shares	\$ 0.0014 (3)	01/12/2018		A		384,120		(4)	01/12/2028	Ordinary Shares	384,120	\$ 0	384,120	D	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Noble James BROCK HOUSE, SHEEPDROVE, LAMBOURN HUNGERFORD, X0 RG17 7XA	X		Chief Executive Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ James Noble	01/17/2018
<small>Signature of Reporting Person</small>	<small>Date</small>

## 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) The exercise price was converted from GBP0.96 based on an exchange rate of \$U.S. 1.3542 - GBP1.00. The actual exercise price will be the pounds sterling amount.

- (2) Exercisable as to 429,984 Ordinary Shares on January 12, 2019 and will be exercisable as to the remainder in monthly installments of 35,832 Ordinary Shares on the twelfth of each month from February 12, 2019 through January 12, 2022.
- (3) The exercise price was converted from GBP0.001, being the nominal value of an ordinary share, based on an exchange rate of \$U.S. 1.3542 - GBP1.00. The actual exercise price will be the pounds sterling amount.
- (4) Exercisable as to 96,030 Ordinary Shares on January 12, 2019 and will be exercisable as to the remainder in annual installments of 96,030 Ordinary Shares on the twelfth of each January from January 12, 2020 through January 12, 2022.

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