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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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	1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Thompson Peter A. (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ADAPTIMMUNE THERAPEUTICS PLC., 101 PARK DRIVE, MILTON PARK		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Adaptimmune Therapeutics PLC [ADAP] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/11/2016						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)						
C/O ADA															
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					_X_	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
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Reporting Owners

	Relationships				
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Thompson Peter A. C/O ADAPTIMMUNE THERAPEUTICS PLC, 101 PARK DRIVE, MILTON PARK ABINGDON, OXFORDSHIRE, X0 OX14 4RY	X				

Signatures

/s/ Peter Armstrong Thompson	08/12/2016
**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) The exercise price was converted from GBP0.97 based on the closing midpoint exchange rate for the U.S. dollar on the day prior to the date of grant listed in the Financial Times. The actual exercise price will be the pounds sterling amount.

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