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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| (Print or Type Responses) | * | | | | | |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Kerr Giles Francis Bertram | 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2016 | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Adaptimmune Therapeutics PLC [ADAP] | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) THE OLD VICARAGE, LOWER GREEN,, TOWERSEY, THAME | 11/01/2010 | | | | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | |
| ^(Street) OXFORDSHIRE, X0 OX9 3QW | | Officer (give title Other (specify below) | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | |
| (City) (State) (Zip) | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned | | | | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 4) | | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Instr. 4) | | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) | | |

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security | 2. Date Exer | cisable | 3. Tit | le and Amount of | 4. Conversion | 5. Ownership | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial | |
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| (Instr. 4) | (Month/Day/Year) | | | | or Exercise | Form of | Ownership | |
| | | | | | Price of | Derivative | (Instr. 5) | |
| | | | | | Derivative | Security: Direct | | |
| | Date | Expiration | | | Security | (D) or Indirect | | |
| | Exercisable | | Title | Amount or Number of | | (I) | | |
| | Excretsable | | | Shares | | (Instr. 5) | | |

Reporting Owners

| | Relationships | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------|--------------|---------|-------|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director 10% Owner | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| Kerr Giles Francis Bertram THE OLD VICARAGE, LOWER GREEN, TOWERSEY, THAME OXFORDSHIRE, X0 OX9 3QW | X | | | | | |

Signatures

| /s/ Giles Francis Bertram Kerr | 11/28/2016 | |
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| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | |

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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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