## FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Ty	pe Response	s)																
Name and Address of Reporting Person * Lunger John				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Adaptimmune Therapeutics PLC [ADAP]							5.	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ADAPTIMMUNE THERAPEUTICS PLC,, 60 JUBILEE AVENUE, MILTON PARK					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/02/2021								X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Chief Patient Supply Officer					
(Street) ABINGDON, X0 OX14 4RX				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)								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)		Т	able I	- No	n-Dei	rivative	Securiti	ies Ac	quir	ed, Dispo	osed of, or I	Beneficially	Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code		(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D	of (D) Benefic Reporte		ount of Securities cially Owned Following ed Transaction(s) 3 and 4)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	of Be Ov	Nature Indirect eneficial enership estr. 4)		
						С	Code		Amoun	(A) or (D)	Pric	ce				(I) (Instr. 4)		
American Depositary Shares representing Ordinary Shares		07/02/2021				S		1,907	D	\$ 4.26 (2)	549	3,170 (3)			D			
Reminder:	Report on a	separate line fo		Deriv	ative Securio	ties A	cquir	Person the	sons whatained if form disposed	ho resp in this f splays of, or B	form a a cur	are r rrent	not requ ly valid		formation spond unle trol numbe	ess	C 147	74 (9-02)
Security	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		Execution Da Year) any	4. Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			A U S	Title and Amount of Underlying recurities Instr. 3 and	ont of clying ities 3 and	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form of Deriva Securi Direct or Indi	of tive ty: (D) rect	11. Naturo of Indirect Beneficial Ownershi (Instr. 4)
				Со	Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exe	e rcisable	Expirat Date	ion T	Title	or Number of Shares					
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	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Lunger John C/O ADAPTIMMUNE THERAPEUTICS PLC, 60 JUBILEE AVENUE, MILTON PARK ABINGDON, X0 OX14 4RX			Chief Patient Supply Officer				

### **Signatures**

/s/ John Lunger	07/02/2021
**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).
- Each American Depositary Share ("ADS") represents six ordinary shares, nominal value GBP 0.001 per ordinary share, of the Issuer. The ADSs were obtained from the exercise of approximately 25% of an RSU-style share option covering ordinary shares of the Issuer granted on July 2, 2018 and which have vested. Once vested, the RSU-
- (1) style options must be exercised within a restricted period or they are forfeited. The exercise of the portion of these RSU-style share options and the sale reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Sell to Cover exercise implemented automatically in accordance with the Issuer's option plan, under which sufficient ADSs were sold by the Issuer to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax withholding obligations and associated sale costs. The residual ADSs are held by the Reporting Person.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These ADSs were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$4.26 to \$4.30, inclusive. Upon request, (2) the Reporting Person undertakes to provide the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission with full information regarding the ADSs sold at this price in this footnote.
- The ADSs reported in this Column 5 represent solely those residual ADSs held by the Reporting Person which result from the Sell to Cover exercise transaction reported on (3) this Form 4. Additionally, the Reporting Person holds 27,098 ADSs and RSU-style options and other options covering an aggregate of 4,792,956 ordinary shares of the Issuer

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