Adaptimmune Therapeutics PLC Form 6-K May 21, 2015

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Washington, D.C. 20549

Form 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the Month of May, 2015

Commission File Number: 001-37368

ADAPTIMMUNE THERAPEUTICS PLC

(Translation of registrant s name into English)

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(Address of principal executive offices)

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Other Events

On May 20, 2015, Adaptimmune Therapeutics plc (the Company) issued a press release announcing that it has augmented its senior management team with the additions of Lini Pandite, M.D. as Senior Vice President, Clinical Development, and Anne-Marie (Annie) Martin, Ph.D. as Vice President, Head of Biomarker Research and Development. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

On May 21, 2015, the Company issued a press release announcing that it will present data on its lead clinical program, an affinity enhanced T-cell receptor (TCR) therapeutic targeting the NY-ESO-1 cancer antigen at the 2015 Annual American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO) Meeting. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.2 and is incorporated by reference herein.

Exhibits

99.1 Press release dated May 20, 2015

99.2 Press release dated May 21, 2015

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Adaptimmune Therapeutics plc

By: /s/ Margaret Henry
Name: Margaret Henry
Title: Corporate Secretary

Date: May 21, 2015