

Amado Rafael  
Form 4  
January 08, 2019

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Amado Rafael

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
Adaptimmune Therapeutics PLC  
[ADAP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
5 ASHWOOD LANE  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/04/2019

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
President, R & D

MALVERN, PA 19355

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  
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Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V                                                                          | Amount                                                                                                             | (D)                                                                  | Price                                                             |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any | 4. Transaction<br>Code | 5. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
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| (Instr. 3)                                  | Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | Code | V | (A)       | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title              | Amount<br>Number<br>Shares |
|---------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|------------|------------------------------------------------------------|------|---|-----------|-----|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|
| Option to<br>purchase<br>Ordinary<br>Shares | \$ 0.89 <sup>(1)</sup>             | 01/04/2019       |            |                                                            | A    |   | 1,006,224 |     | <sup>(2)</sup>      | 01/04/2029         | Ordinary<br>Shares | 1,006,                     |
| Option to<br>purchase<br>Ordinary<br>Shares | \$ 0.0013<br><sup>(3)</sup>        | 01/04/2019       |            |                                                            | A    |   | 224,724   |     | <sup>(4)</sup>      | <sup>(5)</sup>     | Ordinary<br>Shares | 224,7                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                      | Relationships |           |                  |       |
|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|------------------|-------|
|                                                     | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer          | Other |
| Amado Rafael<br>5 ASHWOOD LANE<br>MALVERN, PA 19355 |               |           | President, R & D |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Rafael  
Amado

01/08/2019

<sup>\*\*</sup>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 GBP0.70 based on an exchange rate of \$U.S. 1.26332 - GBP1.00. The actual exercise price will be the pounds sterling amount.
- Exercisable as to 251,556 Ordinary Shares on January 4, 2020 and will be exercisable as to the remainder in monthly installments of
- (2) 20,958 Ordinary Shares on the fourth of each month from February 4, 2020 through December 4, 2022 and 21,138 Ordinary Shares on January 4, 2023.
- (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. 1.26332 - GBP1.00. The actual exercise price will be the pounds sterling amount.
- (4) Exercisable as to 56,178 Ordinary Shares on January 4, 2020 and will be exercisable as to the remainder in annual installments of 56,178 Ordinary Shares on January 4, 2021 and January 4, 2022 and 56,190 Ordinary Shares on January 4, 2023.
- (5) The expiration date of each annual installment of ordinary shares is March 15 of the calendar year following the year in which that installment becomes exercisable.

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