

NEKTAR THERAPEUTICS

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Labrucherie Gil M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
NEKTAR THERAPEUTICS
[NKTR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/11/2015

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
SVP & General Counsel

C/O NEKTAR THERAPEUTICS, 455 MISSION BAY BOULEVARD SOUTH

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94158

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| | | | Code | V | Amount or Price | | |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 11/11/2015 | | M | | 33,333 A \$ 6.98 | 38,084 | D |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 11/11/2015 | | M | | 11,667 A \$ 6.46 | 49,751 | D |
| Common Stock ⁽¹⁾ | 11/11/2015 | | S | | 45,000 D \$ 13.52 | 4,751 | D |

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Stock Option <u>(1)</u> | \$ 6.98 | 11/11/2015 | | M | 33,333 | 12/21/2011 12/20/2015 | Common Stock | 33,333 |
| Stock Option <u>(1)</u> | \$ 6.46 | 11/11/2015 | | M | 11,667 | 02/25/2012 02/24/2016 | Common Stock | 11,667 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Labrucherie Gil M
C/O NEKTAR THERAPEUTICS
455 MISSION BAY BOULEVARD SOUTH
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94158

SVP & General Counsel

Signatures

Gil M.

Labrucherie

11/13/2015

__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) This transaction was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan for stock options scheduled to expire in 2015 and early 2016 as described in the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Nektar Therapeutics on July 16, 2015.
- (2) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$13.18 to \$13.98. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide full information regarding the number of shares and the prices at

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which the transactions were effected upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.

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