

Labrucherie Gil M  
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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)  
05/01/2018

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
SVP & Chief Financial Officer

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	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	05/01/2018		M		30,000	A	\$ 10.69
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	05/01/2018		S		30,000	D	\$ 83.65 <sup>(3)</sup>
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	05/02/2018		M		30,000	A	\$ 10.69
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	05/02/2018		S		30,000	D	\$ 85.63

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Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	05/03/2018	M	30,000	A	<sup>(4)</sup> \$ 10.69	129,739 <sup>(2)</sup>	D
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	05/03/2018	S	30,000	D	\$ <sup>(5)</sup> 82.86	99,739 <sup>(2)</sup>	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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 10.69	05/01/2018		M	30,000	02/08/2015	02/07/2019	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Option <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 10.69	05/02/2018		M	30,000	02/08/2015	02/07/2019	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Option <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 10.69	05/03/2018		M	30,000	02/08/2015	02/07/2019	Common Stock	30,000

## 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 & Chief Financial Officer	

## Signatures

Mark A. Wilson,  
Attorney-in-Fact

05/03/2018

\_\_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 adopted by the reporting person for options expiring in the next 12 months.
  - (2) This number includes 997 shares held by the reporting person in the Issuer's 401(K) plan and 3,750 shares held by the reporting person in the Issuer's ESPP plan. The acquisition of these shares under both plans is exempt under Rule 16b-3(c).

This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$82.60 to \$84.34. 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 which the transactions were effected upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.
  - (3) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$83.96 to \$86.86. 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 which the transactions were effected upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.
  - (4) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$81.37 to \$84.25. 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 which the transactions were effected upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer, or a security holder of the issuer.
  - (5)

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