

Horizon Pharma plc  
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 \*  
SHERMAN JEFFREY W

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O HORIZON PHARMA  
PLC, CONNAUGHT HOUSE, 1ST  
FL, 1 BURLINGTON RD

(Street)

DUBLIN, L2 4

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Horizon Pharma plc [HZNP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
07/15/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
EVP and Chief Medical Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price (A) or (D)		
Ordinary Shares	07/15/2015		M		24,437 A \$ 2.4	137,319 <sup>(1)</sup>	D
Ordinary Shares	07/15/2015		S <sup>(2)</sup>		24,437 D \$ 35.55 <sup>(3)</sup>	112,882	D
Ordinary Shares	07/15/2015		M		2,450 A \$ 4.96	115,332	D
Ordinary Shares	07/15/2015		S <sup>(2)</sup>		2,450 D \$ 35.55 <sup>(3)</sup>	112,882	D



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- (1) Includes 10,549 ordinary shares of the Issuer acquired by the reporting person on June 1, 2015 pursuant to an employee stock purchase program.
- (2) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 13, 2015.  
The reported price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$35.09 to \$35.92 per share, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- (3)
- (4) The stock option vests in 48 equal monthly installments following the date of grant.

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