Horizon Pharma plc Form 4 January 11, 2017

## FORM 4

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading ACKERMAN TIMOTHY J. Issuer Symbol Horizon Pharma plc [HZNP] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O HORIZON PHARMA 01/10/2017 below) PLC, CONNAUGHT HOUSE, 1ST SVP, Commercial Operations FL, 1 BURLINGTON RD (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year)

DUBLIN, L24

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| (City)                 | (State)                              | Zip) Table                    | e I - Non-D      | erivative  | Securi    | ities Acc  | quired, Disposed o         | of, or Beneficial         | ly Owned                |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|--|-----------|------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1.Title of<br>Security | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 3.<br>Transactio | 4. Securities Acquired saction(A) or Disposed of |           |            | 5. Amount of Securities    | 6. Ownership Form: Direct | 7. Nature of Indirect   |
| (Instr. 3)             |                                      | any<br>(Month/Day/Year)       | Code (Instr. 8)  | (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)                       |           |            | Beneficially<br>Owned      | (D) or<br>Indirect (I)    | Beneficial<br>Ownership |
|                        |                                      | , ,                           |                  |  | (A)<br>or | ,          | Reported<br>Transaction(s) | (Instr. 4)                | (Instr. 4)              |
|                        |                                      |                               | Code V           | Amount   | (D)       | Price      | (Instr. 3 and 4)           |                           |                         |
| Ordinary<br>Shares     | 01/10/2017                           |                               | M                | 7,860  | A         | \$<br>7.48 | 39,314                     | D                         |                         |
| Ordinary<br>Shares     | 01/10/2017                           |                               | M                | 1,815  | A         | \$ 2.4     | 41,129                     | 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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exer<br>Expiration D<br>(Month/Day) | Pate               | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. F<br>Der<br>Sec<br>(Ins |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|---|--------------------|---|--|----------------------------|
|   |   |                                      |   | Code V                                 | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable                         | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |                            |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)                | \$ 7.48   | 01/10/2017                           |   | M                                      | 7,860   | <u>(1)</u>                                  | 09/28/2021         | Ordinary<br>Shares  | 7,860                                  | \$                         |
| Stock<br>Option<br>(Right to<br>Buy)                | \$ 2.4  | 01/10/2017                           |   | M                                      | 1,815   | <u>(1)</u>                                  | 01/01/2023         | Ordinary<br>Shares  | 1,815                                  | \$                         |

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ACKERMAN TIMOTHY J. C/O HORIZON PHARMA PLC CONNAUGHT HOUSE, 1ST FL, 1 BURLINGTON **RD** 

SVP, Commercial **Operations** 

DUBLIN, L24

## **Signatures**

/s/ Miles W. McHugh,

Attorney-in-Fact 01/11/2017

> \*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- 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 option is fully vested and exercisable.

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