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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

ress of Report	ting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALIMERA SCIENCES INC [ALIM]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(First) (Middle)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
6120 WINDWARD PARKWAY, SUITE 290		(Month/Day/Year) 01/18/2018	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP of Sales and Marketing			
(Street) ALPHARETTA, GA 30005		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	(First) ARD PAR (Street) A, GA 300	(First) (Middle) ARD PARKWAY, (Street)	Symbol ALIMERA SCIENCES INC [ALIM] (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) ARD PARKWAY, 01/18/2018 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) A, GA 30005			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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)		ed of (` ′	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)
Common Stock	01/18/2018		S(1)	12,750	D		122,338	D	
Common Stock	01/19/2018		S(1)	12,750	D	\$ 1.1802	109,588	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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security or Exerci (Instr. 3) Price of		or Exercise Price of Derivative	se	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/Year) ive es ed		Underly Securiti	Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Holland David 6120 WINDWARD PARKWAY, SUITE 290 ALPHARETTA, GA 30005

SVP of Sales and Marketing

Signatures

/s/ David R. 01/19/2018 Holland

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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 sale was effected pursuant to the Reporting Person's Rule 10b5-1 Trading Plan dated September 14, 2017.

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