FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*  All Indian Address of Reporting Person*				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALNYLAM PHARMACEUTICALS,										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
<u>Vaishnaw Akshay</u>						INC. [ ALNY ]										Direct Office	tor er (give titl	10% Owner tle Other (specify			
		rst) (t LL STREET ER SQUARE	Middle)	)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/19/2021										X below) below)  President, R&D						
(Chroat)					4. If	f Amendi	ment, D	ate of	Origii	nal Fil	ed (Month	/Day/	/ear)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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(City) (State) (Zip)													Form filed by More than One Reporting Person								
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. D	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea		A. Deem Execution	. Deemed ecution Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. on D	4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
								Cod	e V	А	mount	(A) o (D)	r Pr	rice	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)						
Common	Stock			04/19/2021				A <sup>(1</sup>			5,083	A		\$0.0		22,9	908		D		
Common	Stock			04/19/2021				<b>S</b> <sup>(2)</sup>			1,678	D	\$	\$136.76 <sup>0</sup>	(3)	21,2	230		D		
Common	Stock			04/19/2021				<b>S</b> (2)			989	D	\$	\$137.6 <sup>(4</sup>	4)	20,2	241	]	D		
Common	Stock			04/19/2021				<b>S</b> (2)			622	D	\$	\$138.64 <sup>0</sup>	(5)	19,6	519	]	D		
Common	Stock			04/19/2021				<b>S</b> <sup>(2)</sup>			417	D	\$	5140.02 <sup>0</sup>	(6)	19,2	202		D		
Common	Stock			04/20/2021				F <sup>(7)</sup>			2,266	D	,	\$131.75		16,936		]	D		
Common	Stock			04/20/2021				F <sup>(7)</sup>			85	D	\$	134.563	34	16,8	351	]	D		
Common	Stock			04/21/2021				<b>S</b> <sup>(2)</sup>			203	D	\$	\$135.41(8)		16,648		D			
Common	Stock			04/21/2021				<b>S</b> <sup>(2)</sup>			1,892	D	\$	\$136.84 <sup>0</sup>	(9)	14,756		D			
Common	Stock			04/21/2021				<b>S</b> (2)			530	D	\$	\$137.6 <sup>(1</sup>	37.6(10)		14,226		D		
Common	Stock			04/21/2021				S <sup>(2)</sup>			107	D		\$138.48	8	14,	119	1	D		
Common Stock														515		I		by Managed Account <sup>(11)</sup>			
		Tal	ble II	- Derivati (e.g., pu												Owned	t				
Derivative   Conversion   Date		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execu	a. Deemed lecution Date, any onth/Day/Year)		saction e (Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expiration (Month/E				7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4)		D	B. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownersh Form: Direct (Di or Indirec (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
Explanation of Responses:						e V	(A)		Date (D) Exercis		Expiration ble Date			Amount or Number of Shares							

- 1. On February 26, 2020, the reporting person was granted performance-based restricted stock units (PSU) in connection with the 2019 year-end compensation review. One third of the PSU award vests upon the achievement of each of three specific clinical development, regulatory or commercial events. The People, Culture and Compensation Committee of the Board determined that the first performance criterion was met and one-third of the PSU award vested as of April 19, 2021.
- 2. All sales reported on this Form 4, other than the sell-to-cover for taxes on April 20, 2021, were made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on February 15, 2021.
- 3. Sale prices ranged from \$136.21 to \$137.17.
- 4. Sale prices ranged from \$137.28 to \$138.13.
- 5. Sale prices ranged from \$138.34 to \$139.27.
- 6. Sale prices ranged from \$139.72 to \$140.18.
- 7. Represents shares automatically sold by the Company on behalf of the reporting person pursuant to a mandatory sell-to-cover provision in the PSU award agreement required to cover minimum statutory tax withholding obligations that became due upon the vesting event.
- 8. Sale prices ranged from \$135.24 to \$135.96.
- 9. Sale prices ranged from \$136.41 to \$137.33.
- 10. Sale prices ranged from \$137.42 to \$138.10.
- 11. Reflects shares of ALNY common stock acquired by the reporting person under the ALNY 401(k) plan as a result of the ALNY 401(k) matching contribution program.

By: /s/ Mary Beth DeLena, 04/21/2021 Attorney-in-Fact For: Akshay

K. Vaishnaw

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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