FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MONTEITH DAVID (Last) (First) (Middle) BLOCK 10-1, BLANCHARDSTOWN						Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AVADEL PHARMACEUTICALS PLC [AVDL] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2017									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) See Remarks					
(Street) DUBLIN L2 15 (City) (State) (Zip)				n-Deriv	- 01	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2017 ative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefic									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					action	ar) if	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			or 5. Amou and Securiti Benefici Owned I		nt of es ally following	Form: Direct		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Pri	ce	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
ADSs ⁽¹⁾ 01/03/					3/2017	2017			A ⁽²⁾		32,500 ⁽³) 1	A \$	8 <mark>0</mark> (4)	32,	32,500		D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transactio Code (Inst				6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Sha	er		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)				
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$16.3	01/03/2017			A ⁽²⁾		110,000		(5)		12/11/2024	ADSs	110,0	00	\$0 ⁽⁴⁾	110,000		D		
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$14.35	01/03/2017			A ⁽²⁾		35,000		(6)		12/10/2025 ADSs		35,00	00	\$0 ⁽⁴⁾	35,000		D		
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$10.4	01/03/2017			A ⁽²⁾		75,000		(7)		12/14/2026	ADSs	75,00	00	\$0 ⁽⁴⁾	75,000		D		

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The issuer's "ADSs" are American Depositary Shares, with each ADS representing one ordinary share, nominal value \$0.01 per share, of the issuer; ADSs may be represented by American Depositary Receipts.
- 2. On 12/31/16, Flamel Technologies S.A. ("Flamel") merged with and into Avadel Pharmaceuticals plc ("Avadel"). As a result of the Merger, Flamel's outstanding ordinary shares were cancelled and exchanged on a 1-for-1 basis for newly issued ordinary shares of Avadel, and all outstanding American Depositary Shares (ADSs) representing Flamel ordinary shares were cancelled and exchanged on a 1-for-1 basis for ADSs representing Avadel ordinary shares. The reporting person filed a Form 4 solely to report dispositions of Flamel securities as a result of the Merger, and filed a Form 3 to reflect the reporting person's new status as a director and/or executive officer of Avadel. This Form 4 reports the reporting person's acquisition of the same number and type of securities of Avadel in the Merger. The reporting person made no market sales or purchases in connection with the dispositions reported in the Form 4 referenced above or the acquisitions reported in this Form 4.
- 3. Represents (a) 2,500 restricted ADSs granted under the issuer's "Free Share" award program on 12/11/2014, all of which will be issued to the reporting person on the fourth anniversary of the grant date; (b) 15,000 restricted ADSs granted under the issuer's "Free Share" award program on 8/10/2016, all of which will be issued to the reporting person on the second anniversary of the grant date; and (c) 15,000 restricted ADSs granted under the issuer's "Free Share" award program on 12/14/2016, all of which will be issued to the reporting person on the second anniversary of the grant date.
- 4. Flamel Ordinary Shares and Flamel ADSs were exchanged in the Merger for an equal number of Avadel Ordinary Shares and Avadel ADSs (as applicable), respectively.
- $5.\ Options\ become\ exercisable\ as\ to\ 27{,}500\ ADSs\ on\ each\ of\ the\ first\ four\ anniversaries\ after\ the\ 12/11/2014\ grant\ dates$
- $6.\ Options\ become\ exercisable\ as\ to\ 8,750\ ADSs\ on\ each\ of\ the\ first\ four\ anniversaries\ after\ the\ 12/10/2015\ grant\ date.$
- 7. Options become exercisable as to 18,750 ADSs on each of the first four anniversaries after the 12/14/2016 grant date.

Remarks:

VP, Research and Development. This amendment to the Form 4 filed by the reporting person on January 3, 2017 (the "Original Form 4") is being filed to correct the nominal value of the issuer's ordinary shares as described in footnote #1 to the Original Form 4.

/s/ Phillandas T. Thompson, as attorney-in-fact for David 01/13/2017 Monteith

** Signature of Reporting Person

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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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