Ketchum Steven B Form 4 March 05, 2012

## FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Ketchum Steven B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

AMARIN CORP PLC\UK [AMRN]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Last)

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

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title

C/O AMARIN PHARMA,

03/01/2012

Other (specify below)

INC., 1430 ROUTE 206, SUITE 200

Senior Vice President 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Middle)

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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(Instr. 4)

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

BEDMINSTER, NJ 07921

Security

(Instr. 3)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T)

(Instr. 4)

(9-02)

(A)

(Instr. 8)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(M	Ionth/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, 5)	f (D)				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 8.77	03/01/2012		A		600,000		<u>(1)</u>	03/01/2022	Ordinary Shares (2)	600,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Ketchum Steven B C/O AMARIN PHARMA, INC. 1430 ROUTE 206, SUITE 200 BEDMINSTER, NJ 07921

Senior Vice President

### **Signatures**

/s/ Frederick Ahlholm, by power of attorney

03/05/2012

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

### **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).
- The Stock Option vests and becomes exercisable according to the following schedule: 25% of the total number of Ordinary Shares shall vest on February 16, 2013 and the remaining 75% of the underlying shares shall vest ratably over the subsequent 36 months.
- (2) The Ordinary Shares may be represented by American Depositary Shares, each of which currently represents one Ordinary Share. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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