Novartis Bioventures Ltd Form 4 October 04, 2018

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

(First)

Novartis Bioventures Ltd

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Altimmune, Inc. [ALT]

(Middle)

(Zip)

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

10/02/2018

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

C/O NOVARTIS INTERNATIONAL

AG, LICHTSTRASSE 35

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

Officer (give title

Form filed by One Reporting Person \_X\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

**BASEL, V8 CH-4056** 

(City)

(Instr. 3)

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security

(State)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

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)

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 1. Title of 5. 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and 8. Price of (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionNumber **Expiration Date** Amount of Derivative Deriv Derivative Conversion

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Secur Acqu (A) of Dispo of (D) (Instr	of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Year)	Under Securi (Instr.		Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	7 (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Deletionships

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Novartis Bioventures Ltd C/O NOVARTIS INTERNATIONAL AG LICHTSTRASSE 35 BASEL, V8 CH-4056		X					
NOVARTIS AG C/O NOVARTIS INTERNATIONAL AG LICHTSTRASSE 35 BASEL V8 CH-4056		X					

# **Signatures**

/s/ Bart Dzikowski, Secretary of the Board of Novartis Bioventures Ltd	10/04/2018	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
/s/ Stephan Sandmeier, Authorized Signatory of Novartis Bioventures Ltd	10/04/2018	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
/s/ Bart Dzikowski, Authorized Signatory of Novartis AG	10/04/2018	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
/s/ Stephan Sandmeier, Authorized Signatory of Novartis AG	10/04/2018	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	

# **Explanation of Responses:**

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