#### Form 144 Filer Information UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Form 144

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED SALE OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO RULE 144 UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

# **144: Filer Information**

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Name Phone E-Mail Address

# **144: Issuer Information**

Name of Issuer	Akebia Therapeutics, Inc.
SEC File Number	001-36352
Address of Issuer	245 First Street Cambridge MASSACHUSETTS 02142
Phone	617-871-2098
Name of Person for Whose Account the Securities are To Be Sold	Butler John P.
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See the definition of "person" in paragraph (a) of Rule 144. Information is to be given not only as to the person for whose account the securities are to be sold but also as to all other persons included in that definition. In addition, information shall be given as to sales by all persons whose sales are required by paragraph (e) of Rule 144 to be aggregated with sales for the account of the person filing this notice.

Relationship to Issuer Relationship to Issuer Officer Director

#### **144: Securities Information**

Title of the Class of Securities To Be Sold	Name and Address of the Broker	Number of Shares or Other Units To Be Sold	Aggregate Market Value	Number of Shares or Other Units Outstanding	Approximate Date of Sale	Name the Securities Exchange
Common Stock	Morgan Stanley Smith Barney LLC 1 New York Plaza 38th Floor New York NY 10004	46489	77957.40	198874689	02/01/2024	Nasdaq

Furnish the following information with respect to the acquisition of the securities to be sold and with respect to the payment of all or any part of the purchase price or other consideration therefor:

# **144: Securities To Be Sold**

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Class	Acquired	Acquisition Transaction	from Whom Acquired	this a Gift?	Donor Acquired	Securities Acquired	Payment	Payment *
Common Stock	01/31/2024 R	Restricted Stock	Akebia Therapeutics, Inc.			46489	02/01/2024 n/a	ı

\* If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

Furnish the following information as to all securities of the issuer sold during the past 3 months by the person for whose account the securities are to be sold.

## 144: Securities Sold During The Past 3 Months

Nothing to Report

### 144: Remarks and Signature

Remarks Date of Notice *ATTENTION:* 

02/01/2024

The person for whose account the securities to which this notice relates are to be sold hereby represents by signing this notice that he does not know any material adverse information in regard to the current and prospective operations of the Issuer of the securities to be sold which has not been publicly disclosed. If such person has adopted a written trading plan or given trading instructions to satisfy Rule 10b5-1 under the Exchange Act, by signing the form and indicating the date that the plan was adopted or the instruction given, that person makes such representation as of the plan adoption or instruction date. Signature Carolyn Rucci

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