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

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED SALE OF SECURITIES

PURSUANT TO RULE 144 UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

144: Filer Information

Filer CIK 0001669737
Filer CCC XXXXXXXX
Is this a LIVE or TEST Filing? • LIVE • TEST

Submission Contact Information

Name

Phone

E-Mail Address

144: Issuer Information

Name of Issuer Akebia Therapeutics, Inc.

SEC File Number 001-36352

245 FIRST STREET CAMBRIDGE

Address of Issuer CAMBRIDGE MASSACHUSETTS

02142

Phone 617-871-2098

Name of Person for Whose Account the Securities are To Be Sold

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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 Officer

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			Name the Securities Exchange
Common Stock	Morgan Stanley Smith Barney LLC 1 New York Plaza, 38th Floor New Yord NY 10004	95478	116760.00	185928121	05/25/2023	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

Amount of Title of the Name of Person Is Date you Nature of Date Date of Nature of **Class** Acquired Acquisition from Whom this Donor **Securities Payment** Payment *

	Transaction	Acquired	a Acquired Gift?	d Acquired	
Common	05/25/2023 Restricted Stock	Akebia Therapeutics, Inc		95478	05/25/2023 N/A

^{*} 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

Name and Address of Seller	Title of Securities Sold	Date of Sale	Amount of Securities Sold	Gross Proceeds
Michel Dahan c/o 245 First Street Cambridge MA 02142	Restricted Stock	03/01/2023	20412	17912.00
Michel Dahan c/o 245 First Street Cambridge MA 02142	Restricted Stock	02/27/2023	10090	8205.00

144: Remarks and Signature

Remarks

Date of Notice 05/25/2023

ATTENTION:

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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