

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

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

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

2. Date of Event Requiring

| de Boer Klaas | | | | SmartKem, Inc. [NONE] | | | | |
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| (Last) (First) (Middle) HEXAGON TOWER, DELAUNAYS ROAD, BLACKLEY | | | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner | | Filed(Mon | 5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | |
| (Street) MANCHESTER, X0 M9 8GQ | | | | Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) | | 6. Individ Applicable I X_ Form fi | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | |
| (City) (State) (Zip) | | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned | | | | | , , , | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 4) | | Ве | * | | 4. Nature of Indire (Instr. 5) | e of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | |
| Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. SEC 1473 (7-02) Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number. Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration | | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivativ Security (Instr. 4) On The Amount of Number of | | 4. Conversion | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5) | | |
| | Exercisable 1 | | Title Share | | | (I) (Instr. 5) | | |

Reporting Owners

| | Relationships | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------|-------|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | |
| de Boer Klaas HEXAGON TOWER DELAUNAYS ROAD, BLACKLEY MANCHESTER, X0 M9 8GQ | X | | | | |

Signatures

| /s/ Robert Bahns, attorney-in-fact for Klaas de Boer | | 02/24/2021 |
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| -*Signature of Reporting Person | | Date |

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

Remarks:

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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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POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by those present, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Robert Bahns and Ian Jenks his or her true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- execute for and on behalf of the undersigned Schedules 13D and 13G, Form ID, and Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Sections 13 and 16(a) of the 1. Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- 2. do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Schedules 13D or 13G, Form ID and Forms 3, 4 or 5, and the timely filing of such Forms with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any other authority;
- take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best 3. interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, including without limitation the execution and filing of a Form 4 with respect to a transaction which may be reported on a Form 5, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in his discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary and proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully and to all intents and purposes as he might or could do in person, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or his or her substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by

virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Sections 13 and 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 15th day of February, 2021.