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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup><br>Lazarus Alon   | Requirin<br>(Month/E   | 2. Date of Event<br>Requiring Statement<br>(Month/Day/Year)<br>04/07/2020 3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>Keros Therapeutics, Inc. [ KROS ] |   |      |                            |                  |   |  |   |
|--|--|---|---|------|----------------------------|------------------|---|--|---|
| (Last) (First) (Middle)<br>C/O KEROS THERAPEUTICS, IN  | 2.   |   | 4. Relationship of Repor<br>Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)                | Ū    |                            |                  | 5. If Amendment, Date of Original<br>Filed (Month/Day/Year)   |  |   |
| 99 HAYDEN AVENUE, SUITE 120<br>BUILDING E  | ,  |   | X Director<br>Officer (give<br>title below)                                 |      | 10% O<br>Other (<br>below) |                  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing<br>(Check Applicable Line)<br>X Form filed by One Reporting<br>Person |  |   |
| (Street)<br>LEXINGTON MA 02421   | _  |   |   |      |                            |                  |   | Person                                 | by More than One<br>Person                                  |
| (City) (State) (Zip)   |  |   |   |      |                            |                  |   |  |   |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned   |  |   |   |      |                            |                  |   |  |   |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)  |  |   | 2. Amount of Securities<br>Beneficially Owned (Inst<br>4)                   |      |                            | irect<br>direct  | t Ownership (Instr. 5)  |  |   |
| Common Stock   |  |   | 23,038  | D    |                            |                  |   |  |   |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned   (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |  |   |   |      |                            |                  |   |  |   |
|  | 2. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |   | 3. Title and Amount of Securi<br>Underlying Derivative Securi<br>(Instr. 4) |      |                            |                  | rcise   | 5.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D) | 6. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership (Instr. |
|  | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date  | Title   |      | unt or<br>ber of<br>es     | Deriva<br>Securi | tive  | or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 5)          | 5)  |
| Series A Preferred Stock   | (1)  | (1)   | Common Stock  | 1,38 | 2,295                      | (1)              |   | Ι                                      | See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>                                 |
| Series B-1 Preferred Stock   | (1)  | (1)   | Common Stock  | 343  | ,270                       | (1)              |   | Ι                                      | See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>                                 |
| Series C Preferred Stock   | (1)  | (1)   | Common Stock  | 167  | ,537                       | (1)              |   | Ι                                      | See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>                                 |

**Explanation of Responses:** 

1. Each share of Series A Preferred Stock, Series B-1 Preferred Stock and Series C Preferred Stock is convertible at any time, at the holder's election, into Common Stock, on a onefor-one basis, has no expiration date and will convert into shares of Common Stock upon the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering.

2. The securities are held by Arkin Bio Ventures Limited Partnership ("Arkin Bio"). Arkin Bio Venture Partners Ltd. is the general partner of Arkin Bio. The Reporting Person, a member of the board of directors of the Issuer, is the Biotech Investment Manager of the Pharma Division of Arkin Holdings, and, as a result, may be deemed to share voting and investment power with respect to the shares held by Arkin Bio. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by Arkin Bio, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

**Remarks:** 

/s/ Keith Regnante,

<u>Attorney-in-Fact</u>

04/07/2020

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

\* 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).

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Exhibit 24

## POWER OF ATTORNEY

(For Executing Form ID and Forms 3, 4 and 5)

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Ryan Sansom, Esther Cho, Trey Reilly and Jason Minio of Cooley LLP, and Jasbir Seehra and Keith Regnante of Keros Therapeutics, Inc. (the "Company"), signing individually, the undersigned's true and lawful attorneys-in fact and agents to:

(1) Prepare, execute in the undersigned's name and on the undersigned's behalf, and submit to the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"), a Form ID and Forms 3, 4 and 5 (including amendments thereto and joint filing agreements in connection therewith) in accordance with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), and the rules thereunder, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer, director or beneficial owner of more than 10% of a registered class of securities of the Company;

(2) Do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned that may be necessary or desirable to prepare and execute any such Form ID and Forms 3, 4 or 5 (including amendments thereto and joint filing agreements in connection therewith) and file such forms with the SEC and any stock exchange, self-regulatory association or any similar authority; and

(3) Take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing that, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required of the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by the 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 the attorney-in-fact may approve in the attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney in fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney in fact, or such attorney in fact's 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, and their substitutes, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming (nor is the Company assuming) any of the undersigned Act.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the earliest to occur of (a) the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, (b) revocation by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the Company and the foregoing attorneys-in fact or (c) as to any attorney-in-fact individually, until such attorney-in-fact is no longer employed by the Company or employed by or a partner at Cooley LLP or another law firm representing the Company, as applicable.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of the date written below.

Date: 3/31/2020 /s/ Alon Lazarus, Ph.D. Alon Lazarus, Ph.D.