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# FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

March 2023

Commission File Number: 001-41386

# **OKYO Pharma LTD**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

9<sup>th</sup> Floor 107 Cheapside London EC2V 6DN

(Address of registrant's principal executive office)

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#### INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS REPORT ON FORM 6-K

On March 30, 2023, OKYO Pharma LTD (the "Company") issued this 6K announcing that, it has been notified that Panetta Partners Limited, an entity in which Gabriele Cerrone, the Executive Chairman has a beneficial interest, purchased 11,000 of the Company's ADSs on NASDAQ at a price of US\$1.41 per ADS, a copy of which is furnished as Exhibit 99.1

The Announcement is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 to this Report on Form 6-K. The information in the attached Exhibits 99.1 is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing made by the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, except as otherwise set forth herein or as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

## **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: March 30 2023

## **OKYO Pharma LTD**

By: /s/ Keeren Shah
Name: Keeren Shah
Title: Chief Financial Officer

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Exhibit No.	Descrip	ption
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Exhibit 99.1

#### **Director Acquires Shares**

**London and New York, NY, 30 March, 2023** – OKYO Pharma Limited (Nasdaq: OKYO; LSE: OKYO) ("OKYO" or the "Company"), an ophthalmology-focused bio-pharmaceutical company which is developing OK-101 to treat dry eye disease ("DED") to address the significant unmet need in this multi-billion-dollar market, today announces that it has been notified that Panetta Partners Limited, an entity in which Gabriele Cerrone, the Executive Chairman has a beneficial interest, purchased 11,000 of the Company's ADSs on NASDAQ at a price of US\$1.41 per ADS (which would be equivalent to the purchase of 715,000 ordinary shares of no par value ("Ordinary Shares") at a price of £0.0176 each).

1. Details of PDMR / person closely associated

a) Name Gabriele Cerrone

2. Reason for the notification

a) Position / status Chairman

b) Initial notification /amendment Initial notification

3. Details of the issuer

a) Name OKYO Pharma Limited

b) LEI 213800VVN5CB56Y15A05

4. Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted

a) Description of the financial instrument ADSs representing 65 Ordinary Shares of no par value

b) Identification code of the Financial Instrument ISIN for OKYO Pharma Limited GG00BD3FV870

- c) Nature of theMarket Purchase transaction
- d) Price(s) and\$1.41 11,000 volume(s)
- f) Date of the 28 March 2023 transaction
- g) Place of theNASDAQ transaction

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#### About OKYO

OKYO Pharma Limited (LSE: OKYO; NASDAQ: OKYO) is a life sciences company admitted to listing on NASDAQ and on the standard segment of the Official List of the UK Financial Conduct Authority and to trading on the main market for listed securities of London Stock Exchange plc. OKYO is focusing on the discovery and development of novel molecules to treat inflammatory dry eye diseases and chronic pain. For further information, please visit www.okyopharma.com.

#### About OK-101

OK-101 is a lipid conjugated chemerin peptide antagonist of the ChemR23 G-protein coupled receptor which is typically found on immune cells of the eye responsible for the inflammatory response. OK-101 was developed using a membrane-anchored-peptide (MAP) technology to produce a novel long-acting drug candidate for treating dry eye disease. OK-101 has been shown to produce anti-inflammatory and pain-reducing activities in mouse models of dry eye disease and corneal neuropathic pain; and is designed to combat washout through the inclusion of the lipid 'anchor' contained in the candidate drug molecule to enhance the residence time of OK-101 within the ocular environment.