FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* KEISER DAVID W					<u>AI</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC ALXN]									(Check all applied X Director Y Officer		or 10% r (give title Oth		10% C	wner (specify
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC 352 KNOTTER DRIVE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/07/2006									President & COO					
(Street) CHESHIRE CT 06410 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	e I - Non	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally C	Dwne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3,			and Secur Benet		cially I Following	6. Owne Form: D (D) or In (I) (Instr.	irect direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
										v	Amount	(A) or D)	Price	. 1	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(1130.1.4)
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 04/07/					7/2006	2006 A 5,409 ⁽¹⁾ A		\$	96,418		D									
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)		Date, sy/Year)		Transaction of December 2019 Open Sec Acc (A) Dis of (Instruction of (Instruction of Instruction		osed . 3, 4			е	Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amount of Security Underlying Derivative Amount of Numbe of		ount			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Own Forn Direc or In (I) (Ir	ership n: ct (D) direct nstr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Award of Restricted Stock pursuant to the 2004 Incentive Plan. 100% vests on 2nd anniversary of the Food and Drug Administration's approval to market Soliris (TM) (Eculizumab) under a Biologics License Application.

/s/ David W. Keiser

04/11/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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