FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Clancy Paul J			Date of Event equiring Staten Month/Day/Year 7/10/2017		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ALXN						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.		` ′ ′			Relationship of Reporting Person (Check all applicable) Director Officer (give title)		on(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
100 COLLEGE STREET (Street)					X below) EVP, Chief Financia	below)		Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned											
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)						ınt of Securities ially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)			2. Date Exercisable ar Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Secu Underlying Derivative Secu					6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
			Date Exercisable	Expiratio Date	n Title	•	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivativ Security	e or Indirect		

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

No securities are beneficially owned.

Michael V. Greco, Attorney-in-Fact for Paul J. Clancy

07/12/2017

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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