FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | | |
| Moriarty John B | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Director | | | 1 | 10% Owner | | |
| (1-2) (5-2) (45-41-) | | | | | | ALXN] | | | | | | | | | X Officer (give title below) | | | | Other (specify below) | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | EVP & General Counsel | | | | | | |
| ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS | | | | | | 06/11/2015 | | | | | | | | | | - | 2 7 2 2 2 6 | iciai coa | | | |
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| (Street) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | - | X | Form | n filed by One | e Reporting | Pers | on | |
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| | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of S | Security (Inst | r. 3) | | 2. Trans | action | ction 2A. Deemed | | | | 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) | | | | | r | 5. Amo | ount of | 6. Owners | hip | 7. Nature | |
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| (Month/Da | | | | Dayryea | ay/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) | | | Code (Instr. 5) 8) | | | | Benefi | | cially I Following | | D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4) | Ownership | | | | |
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| Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 06/11/2 | | | | | | /2015 | | | | | 914(1) |) | D | D \$170 | | 32,428 | | D | | | |
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| Derivative Security | Conversion or Exercise | Date (Month/Day/Year) | Execution if any | Date, | Transa Code (| | | | Expiratio (Month/D | | | Amount of Securities | | | Derivative Security | | derivative Securities | Owner Form: | ship | of Indirect Beneficial | |
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Explanation of Responses:

1. This sale was made to cover withholding taxes immediately following the vesting of previously granted Restricted Stock Units.

Remarks:

/s/ Michael Greco, Attorney-in-Fact for John B. Moriarty 06/12/2015

** 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 4 (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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