FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  PARVEN ALVIN S				AI	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner						
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(Last) (First) (Middle)				-										belov		below			
C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS, INC					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/15/2017														
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					, 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street)														Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
NEW HAVEN CT 06510												Form filed by More than One Reporting							
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(City)	(St	ate) (	Zip)																
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/					Execution Date,		Date,	Transaction Disposed Of (D		s Acquired (A) or f (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a		nd 5) Secur Benef Owne		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			ted action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 06/15/20				2017	)17		S		835	D	\$116.	78(1)		7,568	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)	rivative Conversion Date Execution Date, curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		t		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Number of Shares						

## Explanation of Responses:

1. This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$116.00 - \$116.99. The price reported in this column reflects the weighted average sales price. Upon request, the reporting person will provide to the SEC staff full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price.

## Remarks:

/s/ Michael Greco Attorney-in-Fact for Alvin Parven

06/16/2017

\*\* 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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