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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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			or Section 30(n) of the investment Company Act of 1940						
Name and Address of Reporting Person*			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
BELL LEON	<u>NARD</u>		ALXN]	X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		X	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC 352 KNOTTER DRIVE		, ,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/14/2006		Chief Executive Officer				
L			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable				
(Street) CHESHIRE	CT	06410		X	Form filed by One Rep	porting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)							
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									

## 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of 7. Nature of 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 6. Ownership 3. Transaction **Execution Date.** Securities Date Form: Direct Indirect (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. 8) Beneficially Owned Following (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Beneficial Ownership Reported (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) (A) or (D) Price Code Amount Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 11/14/2006 M 30,000 \$10.38 400,674 D S Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 11/14/2006 16,296 D \$42.25 384,378 D Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 11/14/2006 S 600 D \$42.26 383,778 D Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 11/14/2006 S 100 D \$42.27 383,678 D S 11/14/2006 600 D \$42.28 383,078 D Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share S D \$42.33 382,978 D 11/14/2006 100 Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share S D \$42.34 D Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 11/14/2006 300 382,678 S 550 \$42.39 D Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 11/14/2006 D 382,128 Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 11/14/2006 S 304 D \$42.38 381,824 D Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 11/14/2006 S 500 D \$42.39 381,324 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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) S. 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. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$10.38	11/14/2006		М			30,000 <sup>(1)</sup>	04/01/2001	04/01/2007	Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	30,000	\$0	30,000	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The sales reported by this Form 4 are made pursuant to the terms of a Sales Plan designed to meet the requirements of Rule 10b5-1 (c) (1) of the Securities Exchange Act.

/s/ Dr. Leonard Bell

11/17/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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).

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