FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>BELL LEONARD</u>					<u>A</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ ALXN ]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC					3.											(give title Other (specify below)			
352 KNOTTER DRIVE					_ 4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable												licable	
(Street) CHESHIRE CT 06410							Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting												
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)										Perso	n 					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of S	Security (Inst	tr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye		Exe () if a	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Disposed Of	Acquired (D) (Instr.	Acquired (A) or D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		Direct Indirect Istr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transa	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock, par	value \$.0001 per	share	12/05/2014				M		56,721(1)	A	\$17.9	8 1,0	00,397		D			
Common	Stock, par	value \$.0001 per	share	12/05/2014				S		20,231(1)	D	\$196.25	5(2) 98	0,166		D			
Common	Stock, par	value \$.0001 pei	share	12/05/2014				S		21,396(1)	D	\$197.20	5 <sup>(3)</sup> 95	8,770		D			
Common	Stock, par	value \$.0001 per	share	12/05/2014		1		S		14,194(1)	D	\$198.00	5 <sup>(4)</sup> 94	4,576		D			
Common	Stock, par	value \$.0001 per	share	12/05/2014		4		S		900(1)	D	\$198.8	L <sup>(5)</sup> 94	43,676		D			
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share  Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share		12/08	/2014	4		M		13,279(1)	A	\$17.9	8 95	6,955		D					
			12/08	/2014	4		M		46,655(1)	A	\$22.9	1,0	3,610		D				
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share			12/08	/2014			S		4,684 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$196.73	B <sup>(6)</sup> 99	8,926		D				
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share			12/08	12/08/2014						14,223(1)	D	\$197.72	197.72 <sup>(7)</sup> 984			D			
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share			12/08	12/08/2014			1			9,627(1)	D	\$198.19	9 <sup>(8)</sup> 97	5,076		D			
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 1			12/08	/2014	$\perp$			S		24,497 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$199.8	\$199.8 <sup>(9)</sup> 9			D			
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 12/0			12/08	/2014	$\perp$			S		6,903(1)	D	\$200.39	94	943,676		D			
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 12/0			12/09	/2014	$\perp$			M		16,665(1)	A	\$22.9	96	0,341		D			
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 12			12/09	/2014				S		16,665 <sup>(1)</sup> D \$19		\$199.94	943,676		D				
			Table I								sposed of, , convertib			Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	le of 2. 3. Transaction Date Execution Date, if any		4. Transa Code (I 8)	ction	5. N Deri Sec Acq or D	umber of vative urities uired (A) visposed D) (Instr. 3,	Expiration (Month/Day		ercisable and Date	7. Title and Amor of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security		e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exer	cisabl	Expiration e Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares		(Instr. 4)	(0)			
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$17.98	12/05/2014			М		56,721 <sup>(1)</sup>		04/26/2009		01/26/2019	Commo Stock, par valu \$.0001 per shar	e 56,72	1 \$0	13,279		D		
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$17.98	12/08/2014			М			13,279 <sup>(1)</sup>	04/2	26/2009	01/26/2019	Commo Stock, par valu \$.0001 per shar	e 13,27	\$0	0		D		
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$22.9	12/08/2014			М			46,655 <sup>(1)</sup>	04/2	28/2010	0 01/28/2020	Commo Stock, par valu \$.0001 per shar	e 46,65	5 \$0	433,3	45	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)		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. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of 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	\$22.9	12/09/2014		М			16,665 <sup>(1)</sup>	04/28/2010	01/28/2020	Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	16,665	\$0	416,680	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The transaction is 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.
- 2. This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$195.74 \$196.74. 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.
- 3. This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$196.75 \$197.75. 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.
- 4. This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$197.75 \$198.75. 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.
- 5. This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$198.78 \$199.78. 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.
- 6. This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$196.19 \$197.19. 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.
- 7. This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$197.19 \$198.19. 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.
- 8. This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$198.19 \$199.19. 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.
- 9. This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$199.21 \$200.21. 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.
- 10. This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$200.24 \$201.24. 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.
- 11. This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$199.90 \$200.90. 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 Leonard Bell 12/09/2014

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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