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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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<u>SQUINTO S</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC</u> [alxn]		ionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC 352 KNOTTER DRIVE		,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2003		Exec VP, Head o	f Research	
(Street) CHESHIRE (City)	CHESHIRE CT 06410		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	idual or Joint/Group Filir Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More tha Person	porting Person	

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)						5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Stock, par value \$.0001	12/31/2003		J ⁽¹⁾		399	Α	\$17.35	25,476 ⁽²⁾	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. Transa Code (8)		of		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/\	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 Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	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				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Required distribution from Long Pond 2000 Charitable Remainder Trust, of which Dr. Squinto and his spouse are trustees and beneficiaries.

2. Does not include the following shares of Common Stock, as to which Dr. Squinto disclaims beneficial interest: (1) 8,517 shares held by the Long Pond 2000 Charitable Remainder Trust, of which Dr. Squinto and his spouse are the trustees and beneficiaries, and from which Dr. Squinto has received the Common Stock referred to in this Form 4 in satisfaction of the Trust's obligation to pay him 5.7% of its assets for the year 2003; and (2) 1,906 shares, 2,600 shares and 2,600 shares of Common Stock for each of his 3 minor children, respectively.



** Signature of Reporting Person Date

02/09/2004

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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