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		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
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(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC 352 KNOTTER DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/23/2003					0.10	Senior Vice President					
(Street) CHESHIRE CT 06410			4. IT	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)      X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)																
		Tab	le I - Non-D	) Derivative	Sec	curities	Ac	quired, Di	sposed (	of, or Ber	neficiall	y Owned				
Date				Transaction ate lonth/Day/Ye	Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4) 5)				5. Amour Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported	es Formally (D) (I) (I		m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
							Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			IIIsu. 4)	
		Т	able II - De (e.ç					uired, Dis , options,				Owned				
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)	Code (				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 derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Option to purchase Common Stock, par value\$.0001 per share	\$17.67	09/23/2003		A		10,000		(1)	09/23/2013	Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	10,000	\$0	10,000	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. 1/16th vests every 3 months following transaction date.

Thomas I.H. Dubin

11/13/2003

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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