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 Addre <u>Moriarty Job</u>	<u>ın B</u>	Person*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC</u> [ALXN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title other (specify below)
(Last) ALEXION PH 352 KNOTTEF		()	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2015	EVP & General Counsel
(Street) CHESHIRE (City)	CT (State)	06410 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting 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)				4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership 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)		(
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/27/2015		A		5,100 ⁽¹⁾	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	31,877	D		
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/27/2015		A		1,745 ⁽²⁾	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	33,622	D		
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	03/02/2015		S		280 ⁽³⁾	D	\$180.34	33,342	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)		Derivative Securities Acquired or Dispos	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		te of Securities		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	\$180.37	02/27/2015		A		24,400 ⁽⁴⁾		02/27/2016	02/27/2025	Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	24,400	\$0	24,400	D	
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$180.37	02/27/2015		A		5,874 ⁽⁵⁾		02/27/2016	02/27/2025	Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	5,874	\$0	5,874	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Award of Restricted Stock Units under the 2004 Incentive Plan. 25% vests on each anniversary of the grant date.

2. Award of Restricted Stock Units under the 2004 Incentive Plan. 1/3 vests on each anniversary of the grant date.

3. This sale was made to cover withholding taxes immediately following the vesting of previously granted Restricted Stock Units.

4. 25% vests on the first anniversary of the grant date and 1/16 every three months thereafter.

5. 1/3 vests on each anniversary of the grant date.

Remarks:

/s/ Michael Greco, Attorney-in-

Fact for John B. Moriarty

03/03/2015

** 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).

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