

GILEAD SCIENCES INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MOORE NICHOLAS G

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**BECHTEL GROUP, INC., 50
 BEALE STREET**

(Street)

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105-1895

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

GILEAD SCIENCES INC [GILD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)

02/26/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	Amount			
Common Stock	02/26/2008		M			36,000	D		
Common Stock	02/26/2008		M			48,000	D		
Common Stock	02/26/2008		S			40,948	D		
Common Stock	02/26/2008		S			40,848	D		
Common Stock	02/26/2008		S			40,748	D		

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Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	200	D	\$ 43.56	40,548	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	500	D	\$ 43.58	40,048	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	1,300	D	\$ 43.59	38,748	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	1,300	D	\$ 43.595	37,448	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	1,700	D	\$ 43.6	35,748	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	600	D	\$ 43.61	35,148	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	800	D	\$ 43.62	34,348	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	500	D	\$ 43.645	33,848	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	14,200	D	\$ 43.65	19,648	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	87	D	\$ 43.67	19,561	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	13	D	\$ 43.68	19,548	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	100	D	\$ 43.69	19,448	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	400	D	\$ 43.77	19,048	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	100	D	\$ 43.79	18,948	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	1,000	D	\$ 43.82	17,948	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	100	D	\$ 43.85	17,848	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	2,800	D	\$ 43.86	15,048	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	100	D	\$ 43.8675	14,948	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	2,000	D	\$ 43.87	12,948	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	4,548	D	\$ 43.875	8,400	D
	02/26/2008	S	407	D	\$ 43.88	7,993	D

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Common Stock							
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	1,293	D	\$ 43.89	6,700	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	100	D	\$ 43.91	6,600	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	100	D	\$ 43.92	6,500	D
Common Stock	02/26/2008	S	600	D	\$ 43.93	5,900	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-qualified stock option (right to buy)	\$ 15.7	02/26/2008		M	36,000	<u>(2)</u> 05/25/2014	Common Stock	36,000
Non-qualified stock option (right to buy)	\$ 16.01	02/26/2008		M	12,000	<u>(1)</u> 01/26/2015	Common Stock	12,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MOORE NICHOLAS G BECHTEL GROUP, INC. 50 BEALE STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105-1895	X			

Signatures

/s/ John Milligan as Power of Attorney for Nicholas G.
Moore

02/27/2008

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
 - ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Options vested 100% at time of grant, January 26, 2005
 - (2) Option vested 100% at time of grant, May 25, 2004

Remarks:

The transactions of February 26, 2008 are being reported on a two-part form 4 due to space constraints. This is Part 1 of 2.

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