ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC

02/05/2016

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)										
1. Name and A Moriarty Jo	Address of Reporting Person *_hn B	2. Issuer Name and Symbol			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
		ALEXION PHA INC [ALXN]	RWIACEUTI	CALS	(Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest T (Month/Day/Year)	ransaction		Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify					
	PHARMACEUTICALS COLLEGE STREET	elow) EVP &	below) & General Counsel							
	(Street)	4. If Amendment, D Filed(Month/Day/Yea	~	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by O	oint/Group Filing(Check One Reporting Person More than One Reporting					
	EN, CT 06510			Ī	Person	ore than one re-	porung			
(City)	(State) (Zip)			_	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any	on Date, if Transaction Code Day/Year) (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Adord Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and (A) or Amount (D)	(D) 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/04/2016	A	11,763 A	\$ 0	53,103	D				
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/05/2016	S	500 (2) D	\$ 145.27 (3)	52,603	D				

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Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share					\$ 144.39 (4)		
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/05/2016	S	200 (2)	D	\$ 143.44 (5)	52,003	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/05/2016	S	436 (2)	D	\$ 142.18 (<u>6)</u>	51,567	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/05/2016	S	433 (2)	D	\$ 141.75 <u>(7)</u>	51,134	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/08/2016	S	137 (8)	D	\$ 138.02 (9)	50,997	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/08/2016	S	78 <u>(2)</u>	D	\$ 140.21 (10)	50,919	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/08/2016	S	2,418 (<u>2)</u>	D	\$ 138.02 (9)	48,501	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Date	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	Underlying	Security	Secui

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Secur (Instr	ities . 3 and 4)	(Instr. 5)	
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

> > 02/08/2016

Moriarty John B ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 100 COLLEGE STREET NEW HAVEN, CT 06510

EVP & General Counsel

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Signatures

/s/ Michael Greco, Attorney-in-Fact for John B. Moriarty

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
 - On February 4, 2016, the Leadership and Compensation Committee determined that the reporting person earned 11,763 Performance
- **(1)** Share Units upon achievement of certain performance targets previously established by the Committee. 1/3 of such shares vested on February 4, 2016 and 1/3 vest on each subsequent anniversary.
- This sale was made to cover withholding taxes immediately following the vesting of previously granted Performance Stock Units. **(2)**
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$145.00 \$145.99. The price reported in **(3)** 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.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$144.00 \$145.99. The price reported in **(4)** 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.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$143.00 \$143.99. 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.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$142.00 \$142.99. 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 **(6)** regarding the number of shares sold at each price.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$141.00 \$141.99. 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.

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- (8) This sale was made to cover withholding taxes immediately following the vesting of previously granted Restricted Stock Units.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$138.00 \$138.99. 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.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$140.00 \$140.99. The price reported in (10) 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.

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