## ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC

Form 4

February 08, 2017

NEW HAVEN, CT 06510

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(Print or Type Responses)							
1. Name and Address of Re Moriarty John B	eporting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
		ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ALXN]	(Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	DirectorX Officer (give below)		Owner r (specify		
C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICAI COLLEGE STREET	LS, INC, 100	02/06/2017	EVP &	General Couns	el		
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joi	int/Group Filin	or(Chack		
(Succe)		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by O	·			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) <b>Tabl</b>	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secui	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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	02/06/2017		S	3,380 (1)	D	\$ 125.69 (2)	46,801	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/06/2017		S	23 (1)	D	\$ 126.38 (3)	46,778	D	

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Person

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Common

Stock, par \$

value 02/07/2017 S 135 (4) D 128.09 46,643 D

\$.0001 per share

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 Exer	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ties	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	3 and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									A	
									Amount	
						Date	Expiration		or	
						Exercisable	Date		Number	

**Reporting Owners** 

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Code V (A) (D)

Moriarty John B C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS, INC 100 COLLEGE STREET NEW HAVEN, CT 06510

**EVP & General Counsel** 

of

Shares

**Signatures** 

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

Moriarty 02/08/2017

\*\*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) This sale was made to cover withholding taxes immediately following the vesting of previously granted Performance Stock Units.

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- This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$125.00 \$125.99. 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 \$126.00 \$126.99. 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.
- (4) 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 \$128.00 \$128.99. 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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