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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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<u>Hallal David</u>	ss of Reporting Persor		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC</u> [ALXN]		tionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS, INC 352 KNOTTER DRIVE		· · · ·	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/06/2013		EVP, Chief Commerc	tial Officer	
(Street) CHESHIRE CT 06410 (City) (State) (Zip)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi Line) X	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Form filed by One Report Form filed by More than (Person	ting 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)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities A Disposed Of (I			Securities	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)		(1130. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/06/2013		A		5,400 ⁽¹⁾	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	74,646	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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		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 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	\$93.83	02/06/2013		A		73,000 ⁽²⁾		05/06/2013	02/06/2023	Common Stock	73,000	\$0	73,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Award of Restricted Stock Units under 2004 Incentive Plan. 50% vests on the second anniversary of the grant date, and 1/8 vests every 6 months thereafter.

2. 1/16 vests every 3 months following grant date.

Remarks:

<u>/s/ David Hallal</u>

ng Person Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Person

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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