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BELL LEON (Last)	(First) PHARMACEUT	(Middle)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC</u> [ ALXN ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/20/2014		tionship of R all applicabl Director Officer (giv below)	,	n(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below)
(Street) CHESHIRE (City)	CT (State)	06410 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	Form filed	t/Group Filing ( by One Report by More than C	•

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) de (Instr.		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)		(1130.4)
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/20/2014		М		60,280 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$10.29	1,092,611	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/20/2014		М		9,720 <sup>(1)</sup>	A	\$11.92	1,102,331	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/20/2014		S		38,468(1)	D	\$155.6 <sup>(2)</sup>	1,063,863	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/20/2014		S		27,557(1)	D	\$156.3 <sup>(3)</sup>	1,036,306	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/20/2014		S		<b>3,675</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	D	<b>\$157.09</b> <sup>(4)</sup>	1,032,631	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/20/2014		S		300(1)	D	\$158.14(5)	1,032,331	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		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	\$10.29	05/20/2014		М			60,280 <sup>(1)</sup>	04/15/2007	01/15/2017	Common Stock	60,280	\$10.29	0	D	
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$11.92	05/20/2014		М			9,720 <sup>(1)</sup>	10/11/2007	07/11/2017	Common Stock	9,720	\$11.92	160,280	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

1. The transaction is made pursuant to the terms of a sales plan designed to meet the requirements of Rule 10b5-1(c)(1) of the Securities Exchange Act.

2. This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$154.90 - \$155.90. 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.

3. This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$155.90 - \$156.90. 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 transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$156.90 - \$157.90. 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.

5. This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$158.00 - \$158.99. 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.

Remarks:

<u>/s/ Michael Greco, Attorney-in-</u> Fact 05/22/2014

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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