FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* NORBY R DOUGLAS							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ALXN]										cable) or	10% Owner		ner	
	F EXION PHA OTTER DR	12	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/10/2012										below)		Filing	below)`					
(Street) CHESHIRE CT 06410					_ 4. '	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S		(Zip)												<u> </u>						
Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		,	3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			(A) or	5. Amou Securitie Benefici Owned I	nt of es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
										Code	v	Amount	(A (E	A) or D)	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3	ction(s)			Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 12/10.							2012			M		15,000 A		\$4.93	3 53,673			D			
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 12/10						2				M		7,000		Α	\$10.8	4 60	60,673		D		
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 12/10						.2				S		22,00	0	D	\$93	38,673			D		
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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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				Exp	Date Ex piration onth/Da	Date			curities lying ative S	ecurity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ily	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Dat Exe	te ercisab		xpiration vate			Amount or Number of Shares						
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$4.93	12/10/2012			M			15,000	03/	/09/200	6 1	2/09/2015	Comn Stoc par va \$.000 per sh	k, lue 1 01	15,000	\$0	0		D		
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$10.84	12/10/2012			M			7,000	08/	/03/200	7 0	5/03/2017	Comn Stoc par va \$.000 per sh	k, lue 01	7,000	\$0	22,000)	D		

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ R. Douglas Norby

12/12/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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