Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  DUBIN THOMAS I H					<u>A</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ ALXN ]									ck all applic	10% Owner (give title Other (specify		/ner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC 352 KNOTTER DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/28/2010									below) below) SVP & General Counsel						
(Street) CHESHI (City)			06410 (Zip)		_ 4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans Date (Month)				action 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (I	Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)				l and Securition Benefici Owned I		es ally Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
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Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share 01/28/					28/201	/2010		A		6,000(1)			\$0	10,432			D			
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Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$45.8	01/28/2010			A		50,000		(2)	0	1/28/2020	Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	50,	000	\$0	50,00	0	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Award of Restricted Stock pursuant to the 2004 Incentive Plan. One half vests two years following the transaction date, and thereafter 1/8th vests every six months.
- 2. 1/16th vests every three months following the transaction date.

<u>/s/ Thomas Dubin</u> 02/01/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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