FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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SQUINTO STEPHEN P (Last) (First) (Middle)			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC ALXN]		tionship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer : all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)		
		()	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/11/2007		EVP & Head of Research		
(Street) CHESHIRE (City)	CT (State)	06410 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	ridual or Joint/Group Filin Form filed by One Rep Form filed by More tha Person	orting 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)	Code (ction	4. Securities Acquired (Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3 5)			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)		(1150.4)	

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)		of Derivati Securiti Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (II	erivative (Month/Day/Year) ecurities cquired) or		te of Securities		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	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				
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$47.66	07/11/2007		A		14,500		(1)	07/11/2017	Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	14,500	\$0	14,500	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. 1/16th vests every three months following the transaction date.

/s/ Stephen Squinto

** Signature of Reporting Person

07/12/2007 Date

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).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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