FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BURNS M MICHELE			. Date of Event Requiring Statem Month/Day/Year 17/16/2014	nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ALXN]						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.		` ′			4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner			(5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)									
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Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

No securities are beneficially owned.

/s/ Michael Greco Attorney-in-07/24/2014

Fact

** 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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