

ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**SQUINTO STEPHEN P**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ALXN]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**EVP & Head of Research**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC, 352 KNOTTER DRIVE**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**11/05/2007**

**CHESHIRE, CT 06410**  
 (City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock, par value \$\$.0001 per share	11/05/2007		M		33,465 A \$ 21	48,770	D
Common Stock, par value \$\$.0001 per share	11/05/2007		S		33,465 (1) D \$ 75.03	15,305	D

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Common  
 Stock, par  
 value 11/05/2007 S 1,533 D \$ 75.03 13,772 D  
 \$.0001 per  
 share

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**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code	V (A) (D)				
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 21	11/05/2007		M	33,465	06/14/2001 06/14/2011	Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	33,465	

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SQUINTO STEPHEN P  
 C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC  
 352 KNOTTER DRIVE  
 CHESHIRE, CT 06410

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## Signatures

/s/ Stephen Squinto 11/07/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) The sale reported is made pursuant to the terms of a Sales Plan designed to meet the requirements of Rule 10b5-1 (c) of The Securities Exchange Act.

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