#### **DUBIN THOMAS I H**

Form 4

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# FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

DUBIN THOMAS I H				Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ALXN]					Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O ALEXION			(Month/D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/22/2011				Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  SVP & Chief Legal Officer				
PHARMACEUTICALS INC, 352 KNOTTER DRIVE												
					4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
CHESHIRE, CT 06410								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date any (Month/Day/Ye		ion Date, if	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)				
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	08/22/2011			M	17,540	A	\$ 5.82	59,133	D			
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	08/22/2011			M	8,488	A	\$ 4.03	67,621	D			

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Common Stock, par

value 08/22/2011 M 7,500 A \$ 5.1 75,121 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 5.82	08/22/2011		M	17,540	05/24/2004	02/24/2014	Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	17,540
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 4.03	08/22/2011		M	8,488	12/08/2004	09/08/2014	Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	8,488
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 5.1	08/22/2011		M	7,500	06/09/2005	03/09/2015	Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	7,500

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SVP & Chief Legal Officer

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DUBIN THOMAS I H C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC 352 KNOTTER DRIVE CHESHIRE, CT 06410

### **Signatures**

/s/ Thomas I.H.
Dubin 08/24/2011

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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