Moriarty John B Form 4 February 08, 2018

## FORM 4

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1(b).

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Moriarty John B Issuer Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS (Check all applicable) INC [ALXN] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director X\_ Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) C/O ALEXION 02/06/2018 EVP & General Counsel PHARMACEUTICALS, INC, 100 COLLEGE STREET (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW HAVEN, CT 06510 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) <b>Tab</b> l	le I - Non-I	Derivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			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)	
Common			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/06/2018		A	21,489 (1)	A	\$ 0	71,400	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/06/2018		A	6,500 (2)	A	\$ 0	77,900	D	

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Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/08/2018	S	2,163 (3)	D	\$ 115.7 75,737 (4)	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/08/2018	S	1,200 (3)	D	\$ 115.7 74,537	D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Moriarty John B C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS, INC 100 COLLEGE STREET NEW HAVEN, CT 06510

**EVP & General Counsel** 

**Signatures** 

/s/ Michael Greco, Attorney-in-Fact for John B.

Moriarty 02/08/2018

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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### **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).
- On February 6, 2018, the Leadership and Compensation Committee determined that the reporting person earned 21,489 Performance (1) Share Units upon achievement of certain performance targets previously established by the Committee. 1/3 of such shares vested on February 6, 2018 and 1/3 vest on each subsequent anniversary.
- On February 6, 2018, the Leadership and Compensation Committee determined that the reporting person earned 6,500 Performance Share (2) Units upon achievement of certain performance targets previously established by the Committee. 1/4 of such shares vested on February 6, 2018 and 1/4 vest on each subsequent anniversary.
- (3) This sale was made to cover withholding taxes immediately following the vesting of previously granted Performance Stock Units.
  - This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$115.20 \$116.20. The price reported in
- (4) this column reflects the weighted average sales price. Upon request, the reporting person will provide to the SEC staff full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$116.25 \$117.25. The price reported in (5) this column reflects the weighted average sales price. Upon request, the reporting person will provide to the SEC staff full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price.

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