ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC

Form 4

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(Print or Type Respon	nses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Carmichael Clare			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
			ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ALXN]							
(Last)	(First) (N	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	DirectorX Officer (give below)		Owner er (specify				
C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS, INC, 100			02/06/2017	EVP, Chief HR Officer						
COLLEGE STR		2, 100								
(Street) NEW HAVEN, CT 06510			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)							

(City)	(State)	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	spose 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/06/2017		Code V	3,380 (1)	(D)	Price \$ 125.69 (2)	35,197	D	
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/06/2017		S	24 (1)	D	\$ 126.65 (3)	35,173	D	

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Common

Stock, par \$

value 02/07/2017 S 166 (4) D 128.09 35,007 D \$.0001 per (5)

\$.0001 per share

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)

1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and 8. Price of Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionNumber **Expiration Date** Amount of Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Security Underlying Security or Exercise of (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative Securities (Instr. 5) Derivative Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) Security Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Amount

Date Expiration Or Number Exercisable Date Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Carmichael Clare C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS, INC 100 COLLEGE STREET NEW HAVEN, CT 06510

EVP, Chief HR Officer

Signatures

/s/ Michael Greco, Attorney-in-Fact for Clare
Carmichael 02/08/2017

**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) This sale was made to cover withholding taxes immediately following the vesting of previously granted Performance Stock Units.

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- This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$125.00 \$125.99. The price reported in 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 \$126.00 \$126.99. The price reported in 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.
- (4) This sale was made to cover withholding taxes immediately following the vesting of previously granted Restricted Stock Units.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades through a broker-dealer at prices ranging from \$128.00 \$128.99. The price reported in 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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