YOUNG KEVIN Form 4

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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading YOUNG KEVIN Issuer Symbol GILEAD SCIENCES INC [GILD] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title GILEAD SCIENCES, INC., 333 02/03/2006 below) LAKESIDE DRIVE **EVP**, Commercial Operations (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 FOSTER CITY, CA 94404 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficiall	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed 4 and 3 (A) or	l 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	02/03/2006		Code V M	Amount 13,207	(D)	Price \$ 32.02	14,661	D	
Common Stock	02/03/2006		M	11,793	A	\$ 35.35	26,254	D	
Common Stock	02/03/2006		S	500	D	\$ 61.23	25,754	D	
Common Stock	02/03/2006		S	2,200	D	\$ 61.26	23,554	D	
Common Stock	02/03/2006		S	500	D	\$ 61.25	23,054	D	

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Common Stock	02/03/2006	S	5,600	D	\$ 61.24	17,454	D
Common Stock	02/03/2006	S	100	D	\$ 61.22	17,354	D
Common Stock	02/03/2006	S	3,200	D	\$ 61.21	14,154	D
Common Stock	02/03/2006	S	1,800	D	\$ 61.18	12,354	D
Common Stock	02/03/2006	S	400	D	\$ 61.2	11,954	D
Common Stock	02/03/2006	S	200	D	\$ 61.19	11,754	D
Common Stock	02/03/2006	S	10,500	D	\$ 61.16	1,254	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)

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 Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 32.02	02/03/2006		M	13,207	<u>(1)</u>	01/26/2015	Common Stock	13,2
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 35.35	02/03/2006		M	11,793	(2)	11/02/2014	Common Stock	11,7

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

YOUNG KEVIN GILEAD SCIENCES, INC. 333 LAKESIDE DRIVE FOSTER CITY, CA 94404

EVP, Commercial Operations

Signatures

/s/ Kevin Young 02/06/2006

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

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

Date

- ** 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 option vested 20% on January 26, 2006, the first anniversary date of the grant. The balance vests every three months thereafter until full vested on January 26, 2010.
- (2) The option vested 20% on November 2, 2005, the first anniversary date of the grant. The balance vests every three months thereafter until full vested on November 2, 2009.

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