ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC

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FORM 4

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

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See Instruction

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

07/15/2005

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value \$.0001

Common

Stock, par

(responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *LUKE BARRY P			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ALXN]				5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) C/O ALEX PHARMAG KNOTTER	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/15/2005					Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) VP, Finance & Administration					
CHECHID		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 Form filed by More than One Reporting				
CHESHIK	E, CT 06410							Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Beneficial Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock, par value \$.0001	07/15/2005			M		A	\$ 10	39,800	D		
Common Stock, par	07/15/2005			\$	5,000	D	\$ 24 75	34 800	D		

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value \$.0001							
Common Stock, par value \$.0001	07/15/2005	S	2,500	D	\$ 24.8624	27,300	D
Common Stock, par value \$ 0001	07/15/2005	S	2,500	D	\$ 24.8834	24,800	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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Purchase Common Stock, par value \$.0001	\$ 10	07/15/2005		M	15,000	05/17/1999	05/17/2006	Common Stock, par value \$.0001	15,000

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LUKE BARRY P C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC 352 KNOTTER DRIVE CHESHIRE, CT 06410

VP, Finance & Administration

Reporting Owners 2

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/s/ Barry P. 07/18/2005 Luke

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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