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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * DUBIN THOMAS I H			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ALXN]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)  C/O ALEXI PHARMAC KNOTTER	ON EUTICALS IN	(Middle) C, 352	3. Date of (Month/D 08/22/2)	•	ansaction			Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
CHESHIRE	(Street) 4. If Amendment, Day/Year RE, CT 06410				_			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) Execution any (Month/Day		med	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or			quired l of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Bene Owned Indirect (I) Owned		•	
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	08/22/2011			Code V  M	Amount 17,540	(D)	Price \$ 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

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 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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