

ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**KEISER DAVID W**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ALEXION  
 PHARMACEUTICALS INC, 352  
 KNOTTER DRIVE

(Street)

CHESHIRE, CT 06410

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC [ALXN]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
**05/01/2008**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**President & COO**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	05/01/2008		A	10,230	A \$ 9.5	120,071	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	05/01/2008		A	12,270	A \$ 9.5	132,341	D

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Common Stock, par value \$\$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	A	5,250	A	\$ 10.74	137,591	D
Common Stock, par value \$\$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	A	6,750	A	\$ 10.74	144,341	D
Common Stock, par value \$\$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	A	7,499	A	\$ 11.99	151,840	D
Common Stock, par value \$\$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	A	7,501	A	\$ 11.99	159,341	D
Common Stock, par value \$\$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	A	500	A	\$ 16.1	159,841	D
Common Stock, par value \$\$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	<u>28,414</u> <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 70	131,427	D
Common Stock, par value \$\$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	<u>2,300</u> <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 70.01	129,127	D
Common Stock, par value \$\$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	<u>5,406</u> <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 70.01	123,721	D
Common Stock, par value \$\$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	<u>2,700</u> <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 70.02	121,021	D
	05/01/2008	S		D		119,621	D

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Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share			<u>1,400</u> (1)	\$	70.02		
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 70.03	119,521	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	700 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 70.03	118,821	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	800 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 70.03	118,021	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	1,800 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 70.04	116,221	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	100 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 70.04	116,121	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	1,372 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 70.04	114,749	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	303 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 70.05	114,446	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	705 <u>(1)</u>	D	\$ 70.07	113,741	D
	05/01/2008	S	200 <u>(1)</u>	D		113,541	D

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Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share					\$ 70.08		
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	100 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 70.08	113,441	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	2,800 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 70.09	110,641	D
Common stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	200 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 70.1	110,441	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	500 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 70.12	109,941	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	05/01/2008	S	100 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$ 70.24	109,841	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative 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)
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			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 9.5	05/01/2008	M			10,230	07/27/1999	07/27/2009	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	10,230
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 9.5	05/01/2008	M			12,270	07/27/1999	07/27/2009	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	12,270
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 10.74	05/01/2008	M			5,250	03/04/2003	03/04/2013	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	5,250
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 10.74	05/01/2008	M			6,750	03/04/2003	03/04/2013	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	6,750
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 11.99	05/01/2008	M			7,499	10/01/2002	10/01/2012	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	7,499
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 11.99	05/01/2008	M			7,501	10/01/2002	10/01/2012	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	7,501
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 16.1	05/01/2008	M			500	09/08/2004	09/08/2014	Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share	500

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KEISER DAVID W C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS INC	X		President & COO	

352 KNOTTER DRIVE  
CHESHIRE, CT 06410

## Signatures

/s/ David Keiser

05/02/2008

\_\_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) The sales reported by this Form 4 are made pursuant to the terms of a sales plan designed to meet the requirements of Rule 10b5-1 (c) (1) of the Securities Exchange Act.

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