Rummelt Andreas Form 4 February 23, 2012

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Rummelt Andreas

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS

INC [ALXN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/21/2012

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., 352

(Middle)

(First)

KNOTTER DRIVE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X\_ Director

Officer (give title

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CHESHIRE, CT 06410

(City)	(State)	(Z1p)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership 7. Nature of			

Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) any (Month/Day/Year)

. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

10% Owner

\_ Other (specify

Common Stock, par

value 02/21/2012 \$.0001 per

M 2,786

Code V Amount (D)

Price

(A)

D

Common

share

Stock, par

02/21/2012

S

2,786 D

30,315

33,101

D

value \$.0001 per

share

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Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/23/2012	M	3,657	A	\$ 24.36	33,972	D
Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	02/23/2012	S	3,657	D	\$ 84.96	30,315	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on f 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 49.43	02/21/2012		M	2,786	08/11/2011	05/11/2021	Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	2,786
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 24.36	02/23/2012		M	3,657	05/23/2010	02/23/2020	Common Stock, par value \$.0001 per share	3,657

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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Rummelt Andreas C/O ALEXION PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. 352 KNOTTER DRIVE CHESHIRE, CT 06410

### **Signatures**

/s/ Andreas 02/23/2012 Rummelt

\*\*Signature of Date

Reporting Person

## **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).

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