LEXICON PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

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FORM 4

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(Last)

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NIES ALAN S

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

LEXICON PHARMACEUTICALS,

(Check all applicable)

INC. [LXRX]

(Middle)

X_ Director 10% Owner

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

04/29/2016

Officer (give title Other (specify below)

8800 TECHNOLOGY FOREST **PLACE**

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

Person

Issuer

THE WOODLANDS, TX 77381

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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

04/29/2016

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

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Ownership Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s)

or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount Price (D)

(Month/Day/Year)

\$0 A 1,432 Α 9,771 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)

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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 Transaction of Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			rative es d d of	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
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.96	04/29/2016		A		2,857		<u>(1)</u>	04/29/2026	Common Stock	2,857
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 26.39							<u>(2)</u>	04/26/2017	Common Stock	1,428
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.4							<u>(2)</u>	04/24/2018	Common Stock	1,428
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.93							<u>(2)</u>	04/24/2019	Common Stock	1,428
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.86							<u>(1)</u>	05/10/2023	Common Stock	2,857
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.78							<u>(1)</u>	04/30/2020	Common Stock	1,428
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.83							<u>(1)</u>	04/29/2021	Common Stock	1,428
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.9							<u>(1)</u>	04/27/2022	Common Stock	2,857
Stock Option	\$ 10.92							<u>(1)</u>	04/25/2024	Common Stock	2,857

8. l De Sec

(In

(Right to Buy)

Stock

Buy)

Option \$ 7.49 (Right to

(1) 04/24/2025 Common Stock

2,857

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer

NIES ALAN S 8800 TECHNOLOGY FOREST PLACE X THE WOODLANDS, TX 77381

Signatures

/s/ Alan S. Nies 05/02/2016

**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) Option vests with respect to 1/12th of the shares subject to the option for each month of service following the date of grant.
- (2) Option vests with respect to 1/12th of the shares subject to the option for each month of service following the date of grant.

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