

Washington Robin L  
Form 4  
January 23, 2009

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Washington Robin L

(Last) (First) (Middle)

GILEAD SCIENCES, INC., 333  
LAKESIDE DRIVE

(Street)

FOSTER CITY, CA 94404

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

GILEAD SCIENCES INC [GILD]

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

01/21/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_X\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)

SVP, CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
\_\_X\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

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

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|--|---|
|                                       |   |   | Code                                 | V  | Amount   | (D)  | Price   |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any | 4. Transaction<br>Code | 5. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount<br>Underlying Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|---|---|------------------------|--|--|--|
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| (Instr. 3)                                       | Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A)<br>or Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) |        |     |                     |                    |                 |  |                                     |
|--|------------------------------------|------------------|------------|--|--------|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|--|-------------------------------------|
|  |                                    |                  | Code       | V  | (A)    | (D) | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title           |  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |
| Non-Qualified<br>Stock Options<br>(right to buy) | \$ 47.2                            | 01/21/2009       | A          |  | 50,000 |     | <u>(1)</u>          | 01/21/2019         | Common<br>Stock |  | 50,000                              |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |          |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|----------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer  | Other |
| Washington Robin L<br>GILEAD SCIENCES, INC.<br>333 LAKESIDE DRIVE<br>FOSTER CITY, CA 94404 |               |           | SVP, CFO |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Kristen M. Metza by Power of Attorney for Robin L.  
Washington

01/23/2009

**\*\*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 options have a five year vesting schedule. 20% of the options will vest on January 21, 2010 the first anniversary date of the grant. The balance will vest 5% every three months thereafter until fully vested on January 21, 2014.

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