GILEAD SCIENCES INC

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FORM 4

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

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See Instruction 1(b).

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MOORE NICHOLAS G	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
	GILEAD SCIENCES INC [GILD]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
	(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner			
BECHTEL GROUP, INC., 50 BEALE STREET	05/04/2005	Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105-1895	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-L	Derivative :	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securit on(A) or Dia (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/04/2005		M	30,000	A	\$ 26.73	30,000 (2)	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2005		S	17,000	D	\$ 38.66	13,000	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2005		S	10,000	D	\$ 38.69	3,000	D	
Common Stock	05/04/2005		S	3,000	D	\$ 38.72	0	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)	on Date, if TransactionDeriva Code Securit Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquir or Disp (D)		urities (Month/Day/Year) uired (A) Disposed of tr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Non-qualified stock option (right to buy)	\$ 26.73	05/04/2005		M	30,000	<u>(1)</u>	03/23/2014	Common Stock	30,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MOORE NICHOLAS G BECHTEL GROUP, INC. 50 BEALE STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105-1895

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SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94103-

Signatures

/s/ Nicholas G. Moore

05/04/2005

**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) Options vest in two equal annual installments beginning on March 23, 2005, the first anniversary date of the grant.
- (2) All share and dollar amounts reflect a two-for-one stock split made effective on September 3, 2004 benefitting all stockholders as of the record date August 12, 2004.

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