

GILEAD SCIENCES INC

Form 4

January 09, 2008

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
YOUNG KEVIN

(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)
01/07/2008

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 below) ____ Other (specify below)

EVP, Commercial Operations

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock	01/07/2008		M		10,000	A \$ 16.01	14,739 ⁽¹⁾ D
Common Stock	01/07/2008		M		20,000	A \$ 17.675	34,739 D
Common Stock	01/07/2008		S		5,000	D \$ 46.85	29,739 D
Common Stock	01/07/2008		S		2,000	D \$ 46.81	27,739 D
Common Stock	01/07/2008		S		10,000	D \$ 46.8	17,739 D

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Common Stock	01/07/2008	S	2,000	D	\$ 46.77	15,739	D
Common Stock	01/07/2008	S	5,000	D	\$ 46.75	10,739	D
Common Stock	01/07/2008	S	3,000	D	\$ 46.74	7,739	D
Common Stock	01/07/2008	S	3,000	D	\$ 46.7	4,739	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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.01	01/07/2008		M	10,000	<u>(2)</u> 01/26/2015	Common Stock 10,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.675	01/07/2008		M	20,000	<u>(3)</u> 11/02/2014	Common Stock 20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
YOUNG KEVIN GILEAD SCIENCES, INC. 333 LAKESIDE DRIVE FOSTER CITY, CA 94404	EVP, Commercial Operations

Signatures

/s/ Kevin Young

01/07/2008

__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) Amount of securities beneficially owned following the reported transactions includes 58 shares acquired under the Gilead Sciences, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on December 31, 2007
- (2) Options vest over a five year period with 20% vesting January 26, 2006, the first anniversary of the grant. The options continue to vest in quarterly installments over the next four years, and will be fully vested on January 26, 2010.
- (3) Options vest over a five year period with 20% vesting November 2, 2005, the first anniversary of the grant. The options continue to vest in quarterly installments over the next four years, and will be fully vested on November 2, 2009.

Remarks:

The transactions reported in this Form 4 are made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan established by Mr. Young on May 29, 2005.

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