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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	s of Reporting Perso	n*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LEXICON PHARMACEUTICALS,	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
SANDS ARTHUR T			INC./DE [LXRX]	Х	Director	10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)		х	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
8800 TECHNOLOGY FOREST PLACE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/12/2009	Pres & CEO				
(Street) THE	ТХ	773811160	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	Line)	idual or Joint/Group Filing			
WOODLANDS	1	//3011100		Х	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						

#### 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)	Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
		Code V Amount	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	08/12/2009		F <sup>(1)</sup>		13,674	D	\$1.3	772,388	D		
Common Stock								817,500	I	By Sands Associates L.P.	
Common Stock								60,000	Ι	By Spouse as Custodian For Children	

#### 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. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) uired or losed )) r. 3, 4		Expiration Date Amount of		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares								

Explanation of Responses:

1. Withholding of a portion of vested shares by the Company in satisfaction of shareholder's tax withholding obligations with respect thereto.

Remarks:

1	s/	Sand	ls, A	\rtl	hur	T.

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

08/14/2009

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

 $^{\ast}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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