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## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Palantoni Frank				LI	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  LEXICON PHARMACEUTICALS,  INC./DE [ LXRX ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 8800 TECHNOLOGY FOREST PLACE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2011									Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify	
(Street) THE WOODL	ANDS T	x	77381		4.1	If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/E				action 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 5)				4 and Securitie Beneficia		s illy ollowing	Form (D) or	orm: Direct D) or Indirect ) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
								Code	,	Amount	(A) o (D)	r Pr	ice	Transact (Instr. 3 a	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
	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 Da if any (Month/Day/	Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		of		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			and 7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$1.69	04/29/2011			A		10,000		(1)	04	4/29/2021	Common Stock	10,0	000	\$0	10,000	)	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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.

04/2<u>9/2011</u> /s/ Frank P. Palantoni

**OWNERSHIP** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* 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).

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