FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* NIES ALAN S				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LEXICON PHARMACEUTICALS,								(Ch	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
				IN	INC./DE [LXRX]								X Dire	ctor		10% Ov	vner		
(Last) (First) (Middle)													er (give title v)		Other (s below)	specify			
8800 TECHNOLOGY FOREST PLACE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/24/2008														
(Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
THE WOODLANDS TX 773811160													X Forn	n					
													Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																
		Tab	le I - Non-	Deriva	ative	Sec	curities	s Ac	quired, D	ispose	d o	f, or Bei	neficial	ly Owne	d				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transar Date (Month/Date)			Execution Date,			Code (Instr. 5)			ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 and	Benefi Owned	ies F ially (Following (Form (D) o	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
								Code V	Amou	unt	(A) or (D)	Price	Transa	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Co			5. Number of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		d	7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivativ Security (Instr. 5)		e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Co	ode	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	on	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$2.2	04/24/2008			A		10,000		(1)	04/24/20)18	Common Stock	10,000	\$0	10,00	00	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.

Remarks:

/s/ Nies, Alan S.

04/25/2008

** 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).
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