FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| | Instruction 1(b). |

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* COATS LONNEL (Last) (First) (Middle) 2445 TECHNOLOGY FOREST BLVD. | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LEXICON PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. [LXRX] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/23/2023 | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Chief Executive Officer | | | | | |
|---|--|--|----------------|--|--|--|-------|-----|---|-----|----------|--|------------------|--------------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|--|--|---|--|
| (Street) | | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| (City) | (St | ate) (Z | <u>Z</u> ip) | | Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 2 | | | | | | | | | | truction or wr | itten p | olan that is in | rended to | | |
| | | Table | l - No | on-Deriva | tive Se | ecui | ities | Acc | լuired, | Dis | posed of | f, or I | Benefi | cially | y Owr | ned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/ | | | | | Execution Date, | | | · | Transaction Disposed O | | | es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a | | and Secur Benef Owne Follow | | icially d _/ ing | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | m: Direct or rect (I) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) (D) | (A) or (D) Price | | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | | |
| Common Stock 06/23/20 | | | | |)23 | | | | P | | 10,000 | A | \$2. | \$2.495 | | 794,359 | | D | | |
| Common Stock 06/26/20 | | | | | 023 | | | | P | | 10,000 | A | \$2. | 1792 | 2 804,359 | | D | | | |
| | 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) | Exec if any | Deemed ution Date, / th/Day/Year) | | Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 8) Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Expiration Date | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and | | unt ber | | | | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Lonnel Coats

06/26/2023

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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^{*} 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).