GILEAD SCIENCES INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MARTIN JOHN C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GILEAD SCIENCES INC [GILD]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner
GILEAD SCIENCES, INC., 333 LAKESIDE DRIVE			01/04/2016	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)
				Chairman and CEO
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - Non-	-Derivative	Securi	ities Acquire	ed, Disposed of, o	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie orDisposed o (Instr. 3, 4	of (D) and 5) (A) or	uired (A) or	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/04/2016		M	100,000	(D)	\$ 16.395	4,048,066	D	
Common Stock	01/04/2016		S	86,281	D	\$ 97.5344 (3)	3,961,785	D	
Common Stock	01/04/2016		S	10,969	D	\$ 98.3458 (4)	3,950,816	D	
Common Stock	01/04/2016		S	2,750	D	\$ 99.4864 (5)	3,948,066	D	

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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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amor Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nu Sha
Non-Qualified Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 16.395	01/04/2016		M(1)	100,000	(2)	01/22/2017	Common Stock	10

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MARTIN JOHN C GILEAD SCIENCES, INC. 333 LAKESIDE DRIVE FOSTER CITY, CA 94404	X		Chairman and CEO				

Signatures

/s/John C. 01/06/2016 Martin **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).
- The exercise and sale transactions reported in this Form 4 are made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan. **(1)**
- The options have a five year vesting schedule. 20% vest on the first anniversary of the date of grant. The balance will vest 5% quarterly **(2)** thereafter until fully vested.
- Sale prices reported for the transactions reported here range from \$97.04 to \$98.04. Full information regarding the number of shares (3) purchased or sold at each separate price will be provided to the SEC, the issuer or its shareowners upon request.
- Sale prices reported for the transactions reported here range from \$98.06 to \$99.02. Full information regarding the number of shares purchased or sold at each separate price will be provided to the SEC, the issuer or its shareowners upon request.

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