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1. Name and A CZIRR JAM	Symbol GALEC	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS INC [GALT]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last)	(Month/I	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2018				X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)					
INC. 4960,Â	CTIN THERAPEU PEACHTREE AL BLVD., SUIT	UTICS,									
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting				
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(City)	(State) (	Zip) Tab	le I - Non-Deri	vative Sec	uritie	s Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Security (Month/Day/Year) Executi		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed of (D)		)	of Issuer's	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Amount	or (D)	Price	Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	03/31/2018	Â	J <u>(1)(2)</u>	1,000	А	\$6 (1)	890,630	D	Â		
Common Stock	09/30/2018	Â	J <u>(1)(2)</u>	1,000	А	\$6 (1)	891,630	D	Â		

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

CZIRR JAMES C

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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)	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. of D So B O E I S Fi (I
				(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>		Relationships				
		10% Owner	Officer	Other		
CZIRR JAMES C C/O GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS, INC. 4960 PEACHTREE INDUSTRIAL BLVD., SUITE 240 NORCROSS, GA 30071	ÂX	Â	Â	Â		
Signatures						
/s/ James C						

/s/ James C. Czirr <u>\*\*</u>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).
- Common stock received in satisfaction of \$6,000 of dividends due on Series A Convertible Preferred Stock owned by James C. Czirr
   (1) pursuant to issuer's option to pay dividends in cash or common stock, at its sole discretion. The dividends were payable on 3/31/2018 and 9/30/2018. The price is the amount of the dividend divided by the number shares issued in satisfaction of the dividend.
- (2) Exempt from Section 16(b) of the Securities Exchange Act pursuant to Rule 16a-9 and as an involuntary transaction pursuant to court decisions.

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