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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
GILEAD SCIENCES, INC., 333 LAKESIDE DRIVE			(Month/Day/Year) 04/02/2018	Officer (give title below) Ofther (specify below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
FOSTER CITY, CA 94404			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acc	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	04/02/2018		M(1)	50,000	A	\$ 23.6	3,067,762	D	
Common Stock	04/02/2018		S	26,258	D	\$ 72.5099	3,041,504	D	
Common Stock	04/02/2018		S	13,080	D	\$ 73.3861 (4)	3,028,424	D	
Common Stock	04/02/2018		S	9,962	D	\$ 74.3291 (5)	3,018,462	D	

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

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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)	Code Securities		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun Underlying Securiti (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numl of Sh
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.6	04/02/2018		M(1)	50,000	(2)	01/21/2019	Common Stock	50,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MARTIN JOHN C GILEAD SCIENCES, INC. 333 LAKESIDE DRIVE FOSTER CITY, CA 94404



Signatures

/s/ Marissa Song by Power of Attorney for John C. Martin

04/04/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
- (1) The exercise and sale transactions reported in this Form 4 are made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.
- (2) 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 thereafter until fully vested.

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- (3) Sale prices reported for the transactions reported here range from \$71.90 to \$72.90. 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.
- (4) Sale prices reported for the transactions reported here range from \$72.91 to \$73.91. 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.
- (5) Sale prices reported for the transactions reported here range from \$73.92 to \$74.90. 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.
- (6) Sale prices reported for the transactions reported here range from \$74.93 to \$75.05. 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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