GILEAD SCIENCES INC

Form 4

March 08, 2007

FORM 4

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

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may continue. See Instruction STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **DENNY JAMES M**

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

333 LAKESIDE DRIVE

FOSTER CITY, CA 94404

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

GILEAD SCIENCES INC [GILD]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

03/06/2007

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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January 31,

2005

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Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) our Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/06/2007		M	10,000	A	\$ 5.1329	69,600	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2007		M	13,600	A	\$ 5.1329	83,200	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2007		M	16,400	A	\$ 6.7657	99,600	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2007		S	101	D	\$ 70.35	99,499	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2007		S	15	D	\$ 70.4	99,484	D	
	03/06/2007		S	400	D	\$ 70.42	99,084	D	

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Common Stock						
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	84	D	\$ 70.43 99,000	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	1,730	D	\$ 70.45 97,270	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	100	D	\$ 70.46 97,170	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	100	D	\$ 70.47 97,070	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	435	D	\$ 70.48 96,635	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	1,400	D	\$ 70.49 95,235	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	35	D	\$ 70.5 95,200	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	1,220	D	\$ 70.51 93,980	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	1,200	D	\$ 70.52 92,780	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	600	D	\$ 70.53 92,180	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	200	D	\$ 70.54 91,980	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	1,200	D	\$ 70.55 90,780	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	2,900	D	\$ 70.57 87,880	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	2,115	D	\$ 70.58 85,765	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	600	D	\$ 70.59 85,165	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	1,820	D	\$ 70.6 83,345	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	200	D	\$ 70.61 83,145	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	400	D	\$ 70.62 82,745	D
Common Stock	03/06/2007	S	500	D	\$ 70.63 82,245	D
	03/06/2007	S	900	D	\$ 70.64 81,345	D

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Common Stock

Common Stock 03/06/2007 S 7,400 D \$70.65 73,945 D

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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date Und		Underlying S	Title and Amour Jnderlying Securit Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 5.1329	03/06/2007		M	23,600	<u>(1)</u>	01/01/2009	Common Stock	23,6	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.7657	03/06/2007		M	16,400	(2)	01/02/2010	Common Stock	16,4	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DENNY JAMES M 333 LAKESIDE DRIVE FOSTER CITY, CA 94404	X						

Signatures

/s/ James M.
Denny

**Signature of Reporting Person

O3/07/2007

Date

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Deletionships

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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) Options vested quarterly over a period of five years beginning January 2, 1999, the date of grant.
- (2) Options vested quarterly over a period of five years beginning January 3, 2000, the date of grant.

Remarks:

The exercise and sale transactions reported in this Form 4 are made persuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan established by Mr. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.