

Shlevin Harold H.  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Shlevin Harold H.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS INC  
[GALT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)  
  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Chief Operating Officer

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
C/O GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS, INC., 4960 PEACHTREE INDUSTRIAL BLVD., STE 240

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
05/31/2018

(Street)  
NORCROSS, GA 30071

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	05/31/2018		M <sup>(1)</sup>		50,000	A	\$ 2.32
Common Stock	05/31/2018		S <sup>(1)</sup>		50,000	D	\$ 5
Common Stock	06/01/2018		M <sup>(1)</sup>		9,500	A	\$ 2.32
Common Stock	06/01/2018		M <sup>(1)</sup>		59,700	A	\$ 0.87
	06/01/2018		S <sup>(1)</sup>		69,200	D	
							53,914
							63,414
							123,114
							103,914

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Common Stock \$ 5.1  
(4)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 2.32	05/31/2018		M <sup>(1)</sup>	50,000	<sup>(2)</sup> 08/27/2022	Common Stock	50,000
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 2.32	06/01/2018		M <sup>(1)</sup>	9,500	<sup>(2)</sup> 08/27/2022	Common Stock	9,500
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 0.87	06/01/2018		M <sup>(1)</sup>	59,700	<sup>(3)</sup> 12/03/2026	Common Stock	59,700

## Reporting Owners

**Reporting Owner Name / Address**

**Relationships**

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Shlevin Harold H.  
C/O GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS, INC.  
4960 PEACHTREE INDUSTRIAL BLVD., STE 240  
NORCROSS, GA 30071

Chief Operating Officer

## Signatures

/s/ Jack W. Callicutt, by power of  
attorney

06/04/2018

\_\_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 reported transaction was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan adopted by the reporting person on March 12, 2018.
  - (2) The options vest as follows: 20% on August 27, 2012, the grant date; 20% on December 31, 2012; 30% on December 31, 2013; and 30% on December 31, 2014.
  - (3) The options vested as follows: 25% on December 3, 2016, the grant date; 25% on July 1, 2017; and 50% on December 31, 2017.
- The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$5.00 to \$5.18. This amount represents the weighted average sale price of such transactions. The reporting person undertakes to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.

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