

Metza Kristen
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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 *
Metza Kristen

(Last) (First) (Middle)

333 LAKESIDE DRIVE

(Street)

FOSTER CITY, CA 94404

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

GILEAD SCIENCES INC [GILD]

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

07/01/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

SVP, Human Resources

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

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	07/01/2008		M		1,500	A	\$ 30.945
					5,618		(1)
Common Stock	07/01/2008		M		6,000	A	\$ 32.79
Common Stock	07/01/2008		S		500	D	\$ 51.4125
Common Stock	07/01/2008		S		250	D	\$ 51.42
Common Stock	07/01/2008		S		750	D	\$ 51.5918

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Common Stock	07/01/2008	S	1,500	D	\$ 51.6918	8,618	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	S	750	D	\$ 51.8118	7,868	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	S	50	D	\$ 51.97	7,818	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	S	700	D	\$ 51.9713	7,118	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	S	50	D	\$ 52.22	7,068	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	S	700	D	\$ 52.2225	6,368	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	S	750	D	\$ 52.2418	5,618	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	S	750	D	\$ 52.33	4,868	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	S	750	D	\$ 52.8	4,118	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. 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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 30.945	07/01/2008		M	1,500	<u>(2)</u> 07/26/2016	Common Stock	1,500
Non-qualified Stock Option	\$ 32.79	07/01/2008		M	6,000	<u>(3)</u> 01/22/2017	Common Stock	6,000

