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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> <u>LEWIS JOEL</u>		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS INC</u> [ GALT ]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS INC.	3. Dai	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2023					- x	Officer (give t below) Presid	title Other below dent and CEO	(specify )	
4960 PEACHTREE INDUSTRIAL BLVD., STE 240		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person			
(Street) NORCROSS GA 30071								Form filed by Person	More than One Re	porting	
(City) (State) (Zip)		Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication									
Table I - Nor	n-Derivative S	ecurities Acqu	uired,	Disp	oosed of,	or Ber	eficially	/ 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 Disposed Of 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>	03/31/2023		Α		9,175	A	\$2.1	839,614(2)	D		

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Title of

Derivative

Security

(Instr. 3)

2

Conversion

or Exercise

Price of Derivative

Security

1. Mr. Lewis and Galectin Therapeutics Inc. entered into an employment agreement, dated August 31, 2020, and a Deferred Stock Unit Agreement, dated August 31, 2020, amended on July 25, 2022. Pursuant to these agreements, 80% of Mr. Lewis' compensation will be paid in the form of deferred stock units ("DSUs") in accordance with the terms and subject to the provisions set forth in the Deferred Stock Unit Agreement. The shares of Common Stock being reported herein underly DSUs issued to Mr. Lewis pursuant to the agreements, at a price per share equal to the closing price of the Common Stock on date of the transaction. The DSUs shall be settled in shares of Common Stock as follows: (i) twenty five percent shall be settled on March 1, 2023, (ii) twenty five percent shall be settled on March 1, 2024.

Date

Exercisable

(D)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

6. Date Exercisable and

Expiration Date

Expiration Date

(Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and

Amount of Securities

Underlying Derivative

Security (Instr. 3 and 4)

Amount or Number

of Shares

Title

5. Number

Derivative

Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4

and 5)

(A)

4. Transaction Code (Instr.

v

Code

8)

2. Represents shares underlying DSUs and Common Stock.

3. Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Date

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8. Price of

Derivative

Security

(Instr. 5)

9. Number of

derivative

Securities

Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)

Owned

Beneficially

10.

Form:

Ownership

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

11. Nature of Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 4)

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

3A. Deemed Execution Date,

if any (Month/Day/Year)

\* 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).

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