

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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☒ Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan for the purchase or sale of equity securities of the issuer that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Jamil Khurram</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>4960 PEACHTREE INDUSTRIAL BLVD</u> <u>SUITE 240</u> (Street) <u>NORCROSS</u> <u>GA</u> <u>30071</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS INC [GALT]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner ☒ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>Chief Medical Officer</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>01/02/2026</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of 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

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	01/02/2026		M		60,000	A	\$0 ⁽³⁾	60,000	D	
Common Stock	01/02/2026		S ⁽¹⁾		13,055 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$4.1968 ⁽²⁾	46,945	D	
Common stock	01/05/2026		S ⁽¹⁾		25,499 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$3.8985 ⁽⁵⁾	21,446	D	
Common Stock	01/06/2026		S ⁽¹⁾		21,446 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$3.6466 ⁽⁶⁾	0	D	

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Unit	\$0 ⁽³⁾	01/01/2026		M			60,000 ⁽⁴⁾	01/02/2026 ⁽⁴⁾	(4)	Common Stock	60,000	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The reported transaction was made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan adopted by the reporting person on April 17, 2025, as disclosed in the Issuer's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, filed with the SEC on August 14, 2025.
2. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$4.00 to \$4.34. 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.
3. Shares of common stock acquired for no additional consideration resulting from vesting of Restricted Stock Units.
4. Restricted Stock Units disposed upon conversion into shares of common stock pursuant to vesting on January 2, 2026.
5. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$3.81 to \$4.06. 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.
6. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$3.81 to \$3.42. 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.

Jack W. Callicutt, by power of attorney 01/06/2026
** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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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