

LEWIS JOEL

Form 4

December 18, 2017

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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See Instruction  
1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
LEWIS JOEL

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS INC  
[GALT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

12/14/2017

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

C/O GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS,  
INC., 4960 PEACHTREE  
INDUSTRIAL BLVD., STE 240

(Street)

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

NORCROSS, GA 30071

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	12/14/2017		A	(A) or (D) A	23,013 (1) \$ 2.39	50,880	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)**

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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. Date of Selling (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	
Stock option (right to buy)	\$ 2.39	12/14/2017		A		62,250	<u>(2)</u>	12/14/2027
							Common stock	62,250

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
LEWIS JOEL C/O GALECTIN THERAPEUTICS, INC. 4960 PEACHTREE INDUSTRIAL BLVD., STE 240 NORCROSS, GA 30071	X

## Signatures

Jack W. Callicutt, by power of attorney 12/18/2017

\_\_\_\_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) These restricted shares were issued in lieu of cash retainer and meeting fees of \$55,000 for 2018. Restrictions on the shares lapse at a rate of 25% per calendar quarter in 2018.
- (2) The options vest 100% on December 14, 2018.

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