

EXELIXIS INC  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
SCANGOS GEORGE A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O EXELIXIS INC., 170 HARBOR WAY, PO BOX 511

(Street)

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94083-0511

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
EXELIXIS INC [EXEL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/27/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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	02/27/2008		S(1)		100	D	\$ 6.38
Common Stock	02/27/2008		S(1)		100	D	\$ 6.46
Common Stock	02/27/2008		S(1)		100	D	\$ 6.54
Common Stock	02/27/2008		S(1)		100	D	\$ 6.64
Common Stock	02/27/2008		S(1)		100	D	\$ 6.58

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Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 6.58	1,251,315	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 6.59	1,251,215	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 6.56	1,251,115	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 6.6	1,251,015	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 6.62	1,250,915	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 6.64	1,250,815	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 6.63	1,250,615	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 6.61	1,250,515	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 6.53	1,250,315	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 6.47	1,250,115	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 6.57	1,250,015	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 6.55	1,249,915	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 6.51	1,249,815	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 6.45	1,249,615	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 6.43	1,249,515	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 6.47	1,249,415	D	
Common Stock						8,963	I	By Trust <u>(2)</u>
Common Stock						8,963	I	By Trust <u>(3)</u>
Common Stock						3,240	I	By 401(k) Plan <u>(4)</u>

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5)
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SCANGOS GEORGE A C/O EXELIXIS INC. 170 HARBOR WAY, PO BOX 511 SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94083-0511	X		President & CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ George A.  
Scangos

02/27/2008

\*\*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 sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on September 17, 2007.
- (2) Shares held by George A. Scangos and Leslie S. Wilson, as Trustees of the Katherine Scangos Trust.
- (3) Shares held by George A. Scangos and Leslie S. Wilson, as Trustees of the Jennifer Scangos Trust.
- (4) Represents units in the Exelixis stock fund based on a plan statement dated January 15, 2008.

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