XERIUM TECHNOLOGIES INC

Form 4 May 18, 2005

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Gutierrez Thomas**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

Symbol XERIUM TECHNOLOGIES INC

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X Director

10% Owner __Other (specify

(Month/Day/Year)

05/18/2005

[XRM]

X_ Officer (give title _ below)

President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

C/O XERIUM TECHNOLOGIES, INC., ONE TECHNOLOGY DRIVE (Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

WESTBOROUGH, MA 01581

| (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 n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | (Instr. 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 05/16/2005 | | A | | 397,326 (1) | A | \$0 | 397,326 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 05/16/2005 | | G | V | 317,861 (1) | D | \$0 | 79,465 | D | | |
| Common Stock | 05/16/2005 | | G | V | 317,861 (1) | A | \$0 | 397,366 | I | By wife | |
| Common Stock | 05/16/2005 | | A | | 199,674 (2) | A | \$0 | 597,000 | 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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exer | | 7. Titl | | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
|--------------------------------------|---|---------------------|---|--------------------------------|---|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|
| Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | Transact Code (Instr. 8) | ofNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 5 | | Amou Under Secur (Instr. | rlying | Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
| | | | | Code V | 7 (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

X

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

President and CEO

Gutierrez Thomas

C/O XERIUM TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

ONE TECHNOLOGY DRIVE

WESTBOROUGH, MA 01581

Signatures

/S/ Milap Patel, by power of 05/18/2005 attorney

**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).

In connection with the Issuer's initial public offering, the Reporting Person and the Issuer entered into an Exchange and Redemption

- Agreement pursuant to which, immediately prior to the closing of the offering, the Reporting Person will transfer his equity interests in Xerium S.A., the indirect parent of the Issuer prior to the Offering, to the Issuer in exchange for 397,326 shares of the Issuer's Common Stock, 317,861 of which will be issued to the Reporting Person's wife.
- (2) Grant of Restricted Stock Units.

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