SCANGOS GEORGE A

Form 4

October 21, 2004

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SCANGOS GEORGE A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

EXELIXIS INC [EXEL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

C/O EXELIXIS INC., 170 HARBOR 10/19/2004 WAY, PO BOX 0511

(Street)

(First)

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

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President, CEO & Director 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

Issuer

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94083-0511

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	D erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly 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)	ransaction(A) or Disposed of (D) ode (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	10/19/2004		S	100	D	\$ 8.65	1,617,241	D	
Common Stock	10/19/2004		S	400	D	\$ 8.61	1,616,841	D	
Common Stock	10/19/2004		S	200	D	\$ 8.645	1,616,641	D	
Common Stock	10/19/2004		S	300	D	\$ 8.55	1,616,341	D	
Common Stock	10/19/2004		S	300	D	\$ 8.56	1,616,041	D	

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Common Stock	10/19/2004	S	100	D	\$ 8.59	1,615,941	D
Common Stock	10/19/2004	S	100	D	\$ 8.53	1,615,841	D
Common Stock	10/19/2004	S	200	D	\$ 8.57	1,615,641	D
Common Stock	10/19/2004	S	100	D	\$ 8.51	1,615,541	D
Common Stock	10/19/2004	S	100	D	\$ 8.49	1,615,441	D
Common Stock	10/19/2004	S	100	D	\$ 8.48	1,615,341	D
Common Stock	10/19/2004	S	100	D	\$ 8.58	1,615,241	D
Common Stock	10/19/2004	S	100	D	\$ 8.5	1,615,141	D
Common Stock	10/19/2004	S	39	D	\$ 8.41	1,615,102	D
Common Stock	10/19/2004	S	261	D	\$ 8.4	1,614,841	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		3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exerc		7. Tit		8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Unde	rlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	9		Secur	rities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr	. 3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired						Follo
					(A) or						Repo
					Disposed						Trans
					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						`
					4, and 5)						
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									Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title	Number		
						Excicisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

Reporting Person

/s/ George

Scangos 10/21/2004

**Signature of Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
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