EXELIXIS INC

Form 4

December 26, 2007

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Symbol

EXELIXIS INC [EXEL]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

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

_X__ Director 10% Owner

C/O EXELIXIS INC., 170 HARBOR 12/24/2007

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

WAY, PO BOX 511

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

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

(Zip)

Applicable Line)

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

Person

SOUTH SAN

(City)

FRANCISCO, CA 94083-0511

(State)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities	Acquired, l	Disposed of	, or Ben	ieficially (Jwned
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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) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	12/24/2007		S(1)	100	D	\$ 9.23	1,274,315	D	
Common Stock	12/24/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	1,100	D	\$ 9.24	1,273,215	D	
Common Stock	12/24/2007		S(1)	100	D	\$ 9.25	1,273,115	D	
Common Stock	12/24/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 9.23	1,272,915	D	
Common Stock	12/24/2007		S <u>(1)</u>	1,000	D	\$ 9.23	1,271,915	D	

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Common Stock	8,963	I	By Trust
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Common Stock	3,095	I	By 401(k) Plan (4)

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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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of 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 511	X		President & CEO				
SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94083-0511							

Signatures

/s/ George A.

Scangos 12/26/2007 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

2 Reporting Owners

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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 November 1, 2007.

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