SCANGOS GEORGE A

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

EXELIXIS INC [EXEL]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

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

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O EXELIXIS INC., 170 HARBOR 12/06/2007

(Street)

President & CEO

WAY, PO BOX 511

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

below)

SOUTH SAN

(City)

FRANCISCO, CA 94083-0511

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Owned Following Reported

or

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

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 Conversion 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

5. Number of TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8	3) A C	Securities Acquired (Acquired of Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, 5)	f (D)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4	4)
G. 1				Code '	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amous Numb Shares
Stock Option (right to	\$ 9.91	12/06/2007		A	2	400,000		12/06/2008(1)	12/05/2017	Common Stock	400,0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address			•	
	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

Relationships

Signatures

/s/ George A.

buy)

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**Signature of Person

**Bignature of Person

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).
- Options granted pursuant to Issuer's 2000 Equity Incentive Plan. Twenty five percent (25%) of the shares vest one year from the grant date, and the remaining shares vest in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter.

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