EXELIXIS, INC. Form 4 May 28, 2015

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * MARCHESI VINCENT T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(First) (Middle) (Last)

(Street)

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

EXELIXIS, INC. [EXEL] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable) 10% Owner

C/O EXELIXIS, INC., 210 E.

(Month/Day/Year) 05/28/2015

X_ Director Officer (give title Other (specify below)

GRAND AVE.

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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

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

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

(City)

Security

(Instr. 3)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Execution Date, if Disposed of (D) Code

(Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (I) Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

anv

(Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

5. Number of 4. **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) Derivative or Disposed of Security (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration Title Amount Date or Number of Share Option Common (right to \$ 3.13 05/28/2015 A 40,000 05/28/2015(1) 05/27/2022 40,000 Stock buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MARCHESI VINCENT T
C/O EXELIXIS, INC.
210 E. GRAND AVE.
SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94080

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey J. Hessekiel, Attorney in Fact 05/28/2015

**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).

Option granted pursuant to the Exelixis, Inc. 2014 Equity Incentive Plan. The option is exercisable immediately, subject to repurchase (1) provisions, and will vest as to 1/12th of the shares subject to the option each month following the date of grant, subject to the optionee's continuous service through such dates.

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