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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name Sato, Gle	and Address of Repo en Y.	orting Person*	2. Issuer Name a Exelixis Inc. (E	nd Ticker or Trading Symbol XEL)	6. Relationsh Issuer	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle) c/o Exelixis, Inc., 170 Harbor Way, P.O. Box 511		3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person if an entity (voluntary)	4. Statement for Month/Day/Yearn, 01/29/2003	Director Owner _ X _ Officer ((specify belo					
South Sa	(Street) In Francisco, CA 94	083-0511		5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)	(Check Appli _ X _ Form file	ed by One Repor	ting Person		
(Cit	y) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - No	n-Derivative Securities A Ow	cquired, Dispo ned	sed of, or Ber	neficially		
Title of ecurity	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed Execution	3. Transactio	4. Securities Acquired (A) on or Disposed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect		

Security	Date	Execution Date, if any	Code	ction	()			Securities Form: Beneficially Direct (D)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8 Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Owned Following Reported Transactions (Instr. 3 and 4)	()	Ownership (Instr. 4)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

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FORM 4 (continued) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/ Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/ Day/Year)	4. Transactior Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr.3,4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)
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						and 5)							Transaction(s)	()
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	(Instr. 4)			
\$6.52	01/29/2003		А		150,000		01/29/2003 (1)	01/28/2013	Common	150,000	\$6.52	260,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Option granted pursuant to Issuer's 2000 Equity Incentive Plan. Twenty-five percent (25%) of the shares vest on 1/29/04, and the remaining shares shall vest in 36 equal monthly installments thereafter.

**	Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.	/s/ Glen Y. Sato	01/30/2003	
	See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
Note:	File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.			

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