GELFOND RICHARD L

Form 4

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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GELFOND RICHARD L | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol IMAX CORP [IMAX] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|--|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|--|
| (Last) | (Last) (First) (Middle) | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Sheen an approacte) | | |
| | | | (Month/Day/Year) | X Director 10% Owner | | |
| 110 EAST 59TH STREET, SUITE 2100 | | | 09/08/2010 | X Officer (give title Other (spec below) | | |
| | | | | Chief Executive Officer | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| | | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) | | |
| NEW YORK | , NY 10022 | | | _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |

| (City) | (State) | ${\bf (Zip)} \qquad \qquad {\bf Table~I-Non-Derivative~Securities~Acquired, Disposed~of,~or~Beneficially~Owned}$ | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if Transaction(A) | | 4. Securities Acquired or(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 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 | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| common shares | 09/08/2010 | | M | 30,000 (1) | A | \$ 6.86 | 316,650 | D | |
| common shares | 09/08/2010 | | D | 30,000 (1) | D | \$ 15.11 | 286,650 | D | |
| common shares | 09/08/2010 | | C | 10,000 (2) | A | \$ 4.85 | 296,650 | D | |
| common shares | 09/08/2010 | | S | 10,000 (2) | D | \$ 15.06 | 286,650 | D | |
| common shares | 09/09/2010 | | C | 10,000 (2) | A | \$ 4.85 | 296,650 | D | |

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| common shares | 09/09/2010 | S | 10,000 (2) | D | \$ 14.87 | 286,650 | D | |
|------------------|------------|---|---------------|---|-------------|---------|---|------------------------------------------------|
| common shares | 09/10/2010 | С | 10,000 (2) | A | \$ 4.85 | 296,650 | D | |
| common shares | 09/10/2010 | S | 10,000 (2) | D | \$ 14.68 | 286,650 | D | |
| common shares | | | | | | 50,000 | I | by "Gelfond 2001 Children's Trust" |
| common shares | | | | | | 25,050 | I | by "Pamela Gelfond Trust" |
| common shares | | | | | | 25,050 | I | by "Claudia Gelfond Trust" |
| common shares | | | | | | 128,750 | I | by "Richard Gelfond IRA" |

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 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | onDerivative Expirat | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amour or Number of Shar |
| stock appreciation rights | \$ 6.86 | 09/08/2010 | | M | | 30,000 (1) | 06/30/2008 | 12/31/2017 | common shares | 10,00 (1) |
| stock options (to | \$ 4.85 | 09/08/2010 | | С | | 10,000 (2) | 07/01/2002 | 04/23/2012 | common shares | 10,00 |

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|------------------------------|---------|------------|---|---------------|------------|------------|------------------|--------------|
| stock options (to buy) | \$ 4.85 | 09/09/2010 | С | 10,000 (2) | 07/01/2002 | 04/23/2012 | common shares | 10,00 (2) |
| stock options (to buy) | \$ 4.85 | 09/10/2010 | C | 10,000 (2) | 07/01/2002 | 04/23/2012 | common shares | 10,00 (2) |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| ·F··· G··· ·· ·· ·· ·· ·· ·· ·· ·· ·· | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| GELFOND RICHARD L 110 EAST 59TH STREET SUITE 2100 NEW YORK, NY 10022 | X | | Chief Executive Officer | | | | |

Signatures

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Richard L
Gelfond 09/10/2010

**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).
- (1) Exercise of stock appreciation rights pursuant to Stock Appreciation Rights Automatic Exercise Plan adopted on November 16, 2009. Mr. Gelfond's SARs exercise plan is scheduled to terminate on November 17, 2010.
- (2) Exercise of stock options and sale of common shares pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 Plan adopted on November 16, 2009. Mr. Gelfond's sales plan is scheduled to terminate on November 4, 2010.

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