

MORRISSEY MICHAEL R  
Form 4  
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**Form 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

|   |         |          |   |  |  |  |  |  |
|---|---------|----------|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*<br><b>Morrissey, Michael</b> |         |          | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><b>Exelixis Inc. (EXEL)</b>              |  |  | 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer   |  |  |
| (Last)  | (First) | (Middle) | 3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)           | 4. Statement for Month/Day/Year<br><b>03/20/2003</b> |  | (Check all applicable)<br><br><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)<br><br><b>Vice President, Discovery Research</b> |  |  |
| c/o Exelixis, Inc.<br>170 Harbor Way, P.O. Box 511                    |         |          |   | 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)   |  |  |  |  |
| (Street)  |         |          | South San Francisco, CA 94083-511   |  |  |  |  |  |
| (City) (State) (Zip)  |         |          | <b>Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned</b> |  |  |  |  |  |

| 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 (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |            | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|------------|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V | Amount  | (A) or (D) |   |  |   |
| <b>Common Stock</b>             | <b>03/20/2003 1</b>                  |  | <b>D</b>                       |   | <b>2,850</b>  | <b>D</b>   | <b>\$6.5785</b>   | <b>64,556</b>  | <b>D</b>  |

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or | 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 | 10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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|  |  |  | Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |   |     |     | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | Reported Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | (I)<br>(Instr. 4) |
|--|--|--|--|---|-----|-----|------------------|-----------------|-------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
|  |  |  | Code                                   | V | (A) | (D) |                  |                 |       |                            |                                       |                   |
|  |  |  |  |   |     |     |                  |                 |       |                            |                                       |                   |

Explanation of Responses:

**1) Includes 1,306 shares the Reporting Person acquired on 10/31/00 and 750 shares the Reporting Person acquired on 04/30/01 both through the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan. Includes 62,500 shares 18,907 of which are subject to repurchase.**

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.  
See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

**/s/ Michael M. Morrissey**

**03/21/2003**

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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