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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Parr Charles E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

below)

PIXELWORKS, INC [PXLW]

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title

224 AIRPORT PARKWAY, SUITE 400

(Street)

05/21/2012

Sr. Vice President, Sales 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

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

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SAN JOSE, CA 95110

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
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. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4	sposed 4 and 5 (A) or	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/21/2012		Code V P	Amount 35,000	(D)	Price \$ 2.34	75,000	D	
Common Stock	05/22/2012		P	15,000	A	\$ 2.4	90,000	D	
Common Stock	05/23/2012		P	10,000	A	\$ 2.39	100,000	D	

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. 5. TransactionNumber		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	
Security	or Exercise	(Wolldin Bay, Tear)	any	Code of		(Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 3 and 4)	
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.01					<u>(1)</u>	11/03/2017	Common Stock	100,000
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.36					(2)	02/09/2018	Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Parr Charles E

224 AIRPORT PARKWAY

SUITE 400

SAN JOSE, CA 95110

Sr. Vice President, Sales

Signatures

Charles E Parr 05/23/2012

**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) 25% vest on the last day of the month of the first anniversary of the date of grant, with the remaining 75% vesting ratably on a monthly basis thereafter over three years.
- (2) Becomes exercisable on a monthly basis over 3 years, commencing the last day of the month of the date of grant.

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