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FORM 4

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			0	r Section 30(h) of th	ne Investme	ent Comp	any Act of 1940							
1. Name and Address of Repo Garber Alan M	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>EXELIXIS, INC.</u> [EXEL]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) C/O EXELIXIS, INC. 210 E. GRAND AVE.	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/08/2018							Officer (give title below)	Other (sp	ecify below)		
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO	CA	94080							X	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)												
		Table I -	Non-Derivativ	ve Securities A	Acquired	l, Disp	osed of, or Bene	ficially Ov	vned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired 3, 4 and 5)	d (A) or Dispos	ed Of (D) (Instr.	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.		
		(Month/Day/Year)	if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	4)			
Common Stock			01/08/2018		М		3,500	Α	\$7.97	64,829	D			
Common Stock			01/08/2018		S ⁽¹⁾		3,500	D	\$31.29(2)	61,329	D			
Common Stock			01/09/2018		м		11,500	A	\$7.97	72,829	D			

S⁽¹⁾ Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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3) Conversion		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	,			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Option (right to buy)	\$7.97	01/08/2018		М			3,500	05/02/2009 ⁽³⁾	05/01/2018	Option (right to buy)	3,500	\$0	11,500	D	
Option (right to buy)	\$7.97	01/09/2018		М			11,500	05/02/2009 ⁽³⁾	05/01/2018	Option (right to buy)	11,500	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

Common Stock

The sale reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on September 26, 2017.
 Reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on September 26, 2017.
 Represents the weighted average sales price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from 33.00 to \$31.51. Reporting person undertakes to provide Exelixis, Inc., any security holder of Exelixis, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full informa regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set of this Form 4.
 The option, representing the right to purchase a total of 15,000 shares of Exelixis, Inc. common stock, became fully exercisable on May 2, 2009.

Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

<u>/s/ Jennifer Drimmer Rokovich, Attorney in</u> Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

01/10/2018 Date

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

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints Michael M. Morrissey, Christopher J. Senner and Jennifer Drimmer Rokovich of Exelix:

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 and Schedules 13D and 13G with rest

In Witness Whereof, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 8th day of December, 2017.

Alan M. Garber Print Name

/s/ Alan M. Garber Signature