

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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<b>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*</b> <u>BALL KRISTINE M</u> <hr/> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O EXELIXIS, INC</u> <u>170 HARBOR WAY</u> <hr/> (Street) <u>SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO CA 94080</u> <hr/> (City) (State) (Zip)	<b>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)</b> <u>06/17/2003</u>	<b>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</b> <u>EXELIXIS INC [ EXEL ]</u>		<b>5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)</b> _____
		<b>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)</b> Director _____ 10% Owner _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below) _____ <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Controller &amp; Interim CFO</b></p>	<b>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>16,500<sup>(1)</sup></u>	<u>D</u>	

### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
<u>Stock Option (Right to Buy)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	<u>01/15/2011</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>6,750</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>D</u>	
<u>Stock Option (Right to Buy)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	<u>01/01/2012</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>5,000</u>	<u>16.62</u>	<u>D</u>	
<u>Stock Option ( Right to Buy)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	<u>12/20/2012</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>10,250</u>	<u>7.85</u>	<u>D</u>	
<u>Stock Option (Right to Buy)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	<u>04/15/2013</u>	<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>20,000</u>	<u>7.47</u>	<u>D</u>	

**Explanation of Responses:**

1. Includes 3,126 shares currently subject to repurchase by the issuer.

2. Twenty-Five percent of the shares subject to the option vest on the first anniversary of the date of grant and 1/48th vest monthly thereafter.

**Remarks:**
/s/ Kristine Ball
10/07/2003

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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 Instruction 5 (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).

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