HOWARD WILLIAM G JR

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HOWARD WILLIAM G JR			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol XILINX INC [XLNX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Chech an approach)
2100 LOGIC	DRIVE		(Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2007	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
SAN JOSE, O	CA 95124		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative Sec	urities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities A corr Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and (A of Amount)	f (D) 15)	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	01/03/2007		M	48,000 A	\$ 10.6875	80,000	D	
Common Stock	01/03/2007		S	48,000 D	\$ 23.9826	32,000	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)

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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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities Acquired (Instr. 8) (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.6875	01/03/2007		M		48,000	02/16/1997	01/16/2007	Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.61	01/03/2007		A	12,000		02/03/2007	01/03/2017	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HOWARD WILLIAM G JR 2100 LOGIC DRIVE SAN JOSE, CA 95124	X						

Signatures

William G. 01/04/2007 Howard, Jr.

**Signature of Reporting Date
Person

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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