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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Namaroff Mark J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AXCELIS TECHNOLOGIES INC [ACLS]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 108 CHERRY HILL DRIVE			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2007						Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior VP Strategic Marketing			
BEVERLY,	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - No	n-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Acq	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transa Code (Instr.	8)	n(A) or Di (D) (Instr. 3,	spose	d of	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	07/01/2007			F		3,148 (1)	D	6.48 (2)	65,546 (3)	D		
Common Stock									666	I	Held by spouse	

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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Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

Namaroff Mark J 108 CHERRY HILL DRIVE BEVERLY, MA 01915

Senior VP Strategic Marketing

Signatures

Lynnette C. Fallon, as attorney-in-fact for Mark Namaroff

12/14/2007

**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).
- Shares withheld by the Company equal to tax liability of the executive officer incident to the vesting of restricted stock units issued in accordance with Rule 16b-3.
- (2) Represents the closing price of the common stock at vesting (July 2, 2007).
 - Of the shares held as of July 1, 2007, 54,003 were issuable on vesting of restricted stock units granted the executive under the 2000 Stock
- (3) Plan and are subject to forfeiture. A portion of these shares will be withheld by the Company on vesting to satisfy tax withholding requirements.

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