FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FALLON LYNNETTE C | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AXCELIS TECHNOLOGIES INC [ACLS] | | | | | | | | | | all app Direct | olicable) ctor er (give title | Other | | Owner (specify |
|--|--|--------|------|-------|---|---|-----|---------|--|---------------|--|---|------------------------------------|------------------|--|-------------------|---|---|-----------------|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O AXCELIS TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 108 CHERRY HILL DRIVE | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/16/2007 | | | | | | | | | | belov I | w) Executive V | VP, HR/ | below) Legal | |
| (Street) BEVERLY MA 01915 | | | | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| (City) | (St | ate) (| Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date) | | | | | | Execution Date | | n Date, | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5) | | | (A) or 3, 4 a | 4 and Sec Ben | | cially I Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | | | v | Amount | | (A) or (D) | Price | • | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | | (1130.4) | | | |
| Common Stock 07/16/3 | | | | | | | | | A | | 49,11 | 4 | A \$ | | 0 ⁽¹⁾ 155,2 | | 55,247 | D |) | |
| | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | rative Conversion Date Execution Date or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any | | | Date, | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | of | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) | | | | | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisal | | Expiration Date | Title | or Nun of | | | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. These shares are issuable on restricted stock units granted under the Company's 2000 Stock Plan. 1/3 of these units will vest on July 16, 2009, 2010 and 2011.

Lynnette C. Fallon

07/18/2007

** 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 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).

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