## FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  FALLON LYNNETTE C															Check	all app	olicable)	ıg Persoı	Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner Other (specif		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O AXCELIS TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 108 CHERRY HILL DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/12/2010										X	belov					
(Street) BEVERLY MA 01915 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 11/09/2010									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Acc	quired	, Dis	posed o	f, o	r Ben	efici	ally	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acqu Disposed Of (D) (In			cquired O) (Instr.	(A) or 3, 4 ar	and 5)   Secur Benef		cially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
							Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	•	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(1130.4)			
Common Stock 11/12/2						2010		F		13,512	2 D <sup>(1)</sup> \$2		\$2.6	69 <sup>(2)</sup> 158,706 <sup>(3)</sup>		8,706 <sup>(3)</sup>	Γ	)			
	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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	ion Date, 1 (	Code ( 8)	Transaction Code (Instr.		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		on Dai		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount mber	Deri Secu	Price of ivative curity str. 5)	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)		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. 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.
- $2. \ \mbox{Represents}$  the closing price of the common stock at November 12, 2010.
- 3. Of the shares held as of November 12, 2010, 16,373 were issuable on vesting of restricted stock units granted under the 2000 Stock Plan and are subject to forfeiture. A portion of these shares will be withheld by the Company on vesting to satisfy tax withholding requirements.

Lynnette C. Fallon

11/12/2010

\*\* 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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