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*						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AXCELIS TECHNOLOGIES INC [ACLS]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
<u>LUTTATI MICHAEL J</u>				-										Director			10% Ov				
(Lact)	/Ei	iret)	(Middle)		3. [Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									Officer (below)	officer (give title elow)		Other (s below)	specify		
							06/25/2004								Executive VP and COO						
C/O AXCELIS TECHNOLOGIES, INC.																					
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Stock option (right to buy)	\$11.87	06/25/2004			A ⁽¹⁾		60,000		06/25/2008 ⁽	2) (06/25/2014	Common Stock	60,00	00	\$0.00	60,000)	D			

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Granted Pursuant to the Axcelis Technologies, Inc. 2000 Stock Plan.
- 2. Excercisable as to 25% of the total shares on each of 6/25/2005, 6/25/2006, 6/25/2007 and 6/25/2008.

Lynnette C. Fallon, as attorney-06/28/2004 in-fact for Michael J. Luttati

** 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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