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* PUMA MARY G						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AXCELIS TECHNOLOGIES INC [ACLS]											ip of Reporting Person(s) to Is: plicable) ctor 10% O			
(Last)	(Fir	rst) (3. D	Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									X	Officer (give title below)			Other (specify below)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O AXCELIS TECHNOLOGIES, INC. 108 CHERRY HILL DRIVE						02/09/2005										President and CEO				
(Street)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
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(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)			Person										on				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day						y/Year) Ex		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)				ies Acquired (A) o Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			l and 5) Se Be Ov		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		vnership :: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A (D) or)	Price	_ Tra		saction(s) r. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 02/09/2						2005		P		10,000		A	\$8.3323		1	10,000		I	Held by spouse	
Common Stock															62,763.12			D		
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date E Expiration (Month/I	on Dat		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4) Amou or Numb of		estr. 3			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Or Fo Di or (I)	D. wnership orm: irect (D) r Indirect) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

<u>Lynnette C. Fallon, as attorney-</u> in-fact for Mary G. Puma

** 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).
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