EXPONENT INC Form 4 March 11, 2016

## FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

	Address of Repo ER RICHAR	_	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol EXPONENT INC [EXPO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
149 COMMONWEATH DRIVE			(Month/Day/Year) 03/09/2016	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  EVP & Chief Financial Officer			
(Street)  MENLO PARK, CA 94025			4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(C				
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)					

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	03/09/2016		M(1)	16,664	A	(2)	203,794	D	
Common Stock	03/09/2016		M(3)	683	A	<u>(2)</u>	204,477	D	
Common Stock	03/09/2016		F(4)	6,768	D	\$ 47.88	197,709	D	

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)

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)	5. Number of onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shar
Dividend Equivalent Rights	<u>(5)</u>	03/09/2016		A(5)	65		03/09/2016	03/09/2016	Common Stock	65
Dividend Equivalent Rights	(3)	03/09/2016		M(3)		683	03/09/2016	03/09/2016	Common Stock	683
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/09/2016		M(1)		16,664	03/09/2016	03/09/2022	Common Stock	16,66

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SCHLENKER RICHARD L JR 149 COMMONWEATH DRIVE MENLO PARK, CA 94025

**EVP & Chief Financial Officer** 

## **Signatures**

By: Wendy Whitehouse For: Richard L. Schlenker, Jr.

03/11/2016

\*\*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).
- (1) Reflects the conversion of shares of vested Restricted Stock Units granted on March 9, 2012 into shares of Common Stock on a 1:1 basis.
- (2) Not applicable.
- (3) Settlement of dividend equivalent rights in connection with RSU release on a 1:1 basis.
- (4) Reflects shares of common stock withheld by the Company to satify the tax withholding obligations of the Reporting Person.

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(5) The dividend equivalent rights accrued with respect to RSUs, pursuant to dividends earned in Q1 2016.

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