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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Becker Steven R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

PIXELWORKS, INC [PXLW]

(Check all applicable)

Member of 13(d) 10% Group

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title __X_ Other (specify

224 AIRPORT PARKWAY, SUITE

(Street)

05/15/2012

below)

below)

400

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

D

I

Person

SAN JOSE, CA 95110

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of

Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

Code (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)

A

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Securities Beneficially (D) or Indirect (I) Owned Following (Instr. 4)

Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Α

Reported Transaction(s)

8,000

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Common

Stock

05/15/2012

Code V Amount (D) 8,000

See Note

Common Stock

2,686,185

(1)

(2)

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. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
					(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 2.36					(3)	02/09/2018	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 6	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Becker Steven R 224 AIRPORT PARKWAY SUITE 400 SAN JOSE, CA 95110	X			Member of 13(d) 10% Group			

Signatures

Steven R Becker 05/16/2012

**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).
- Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the registrant's common stock. The restricted stock units will vest in full on the first to occur of (1) the day before the next annual meeting of the registrant's shareholders that follows the grant date or (2) the first anniversary of the grant date. The restricted stock units will be paid upon vesting, subject to any election by the reporting person to defer payment of the units to a later date.
 - Represents Common Stock of the Issuer directly beneficially owned by Becker Drapkin Partners (QP), L.P. (1,616,216 shares), Becker Drapkin Partners, L.P. (240,269 shares) and BD Partners IV, L.P. (829,700 shares). Mr. Becker may be deemed to beneficially own such
- Common Stock as he is a co-managing member of BC Advisors, LLC, which is the general partner of Becker Drapkin Management L.P. (of which Mr. Becker is a limited partner), and Becker Drapkin Management L.P. is the general partner of, and investment manager for, each of Becker Drapkin Partners (QP), L.P., Becker Drapkin Partners, L.P. and BD Partners IV, L.P. Mr. Becker disclaims beneficial ownership in such Common Stock, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) 25% vest on the first anniversary of the date of grant, with the remaining 75% vesting ratably on a monthly basis thereafter over three years.

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