EXPONENT INC

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SCHLENKER RICHARD L JR | | | 2. Issuer Name and 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) | | | |
| | | | (Month/Day/Year) | Director 10% Owner | | | |
| 149 COMMONWEATH DRIVE | | | 11/10/2015 | X Officer (give title Other (specify below) | | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | |
| MENLO PARK, CA 94025 | | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---|--------|-----|--|--|---|--|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | emed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) on Date, if Transactiom Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| C | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 11/10/2015 | | M | 12,496 | A | \$ 11.535 | 199,208 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/10/2015 | | S | 12,496 | D | \$ 51.4485 | 186,712 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/10/2015 | | M | 7,504 | A | \$ 11.535 | 194,216 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/10/2015 | | S | 7,504 | D | \$ 51.4485 | 186,712 | 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|--------------------|--|---------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amo or Num of Sh |
| Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 11.535 | 11/10/2015 | | M | 7,504 | <u>(1)</u> | 02/12/2019 | Common Stock | 7,5 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 11.535 | 11/10/2015 | | M | 12,496 | <u>(1)</u> | 02/12/2019 | Common Stock | 12,4 |

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.

11/12/2015

**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) The stock option becomes exercisable in four equal annual installments.
- (2) Not applicable.

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