FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Christensen Mark						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PIXELWORKS, INC [ PXLW ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 16760 SW UPPER BOONES FERRY RD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/01/2009										Officer (give title below)		Other (specify below)			
SUITE 101					4. If A	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										I or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicat					
(Street) PORTLAND OR 97224																X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person					
(City)	(Si	tate)	(Zip)																		
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)					Execut			Code (In	Transaction Code (Instr.		Securities Acquired isposed Of (D) (Instr. nd 5)			Secur Benef Owner Follow	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		nership Direct ct (I) 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
								Code	v	Amoui	nt (A) or (D)		Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)							
Common	Common Stock 05/01/2						009				30,0	000 A		\$ <del>0</del> .	.77 55,000		00 D				
	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	Date E (Month/Day/Year) is	Executi if any			tion nstr.	on Number E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative tive Securities ty Beneficial	Ov Fo Dii or (I) 4)	vnership vrm: rect (D) Indirect (Instr.	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		oiration e	Title	or	ount mber ires							
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$2.43								(1)	05/2	20/2018	Common Stock	3,3	333		3,333		D			
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$4.14								(1)	05/2	22/2017	Commor Stock	3,3	333		3,333		D			
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$9								(1)	05/2	23/2016	Commor Stock	3,3	333		3,333		D			
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$25.29								(2)	05/2	24/2015	Commor Stock	13,	,333		13,333		D			

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. 25% vest on the last day of the month of the first anniversary of the date of grant, with the remaining 75% vesting ratably on a monthly basis thereafter over three years.
- 2. The option becomes exercisable over a 4-year period which commenced on May 24, 2005, as follows: 3,333 shares exercisable as of May 24, 2006, 277.8 shares exercisable every month thereafter for 36 months through May 24, 2009.

By: Shelley Hilderbrand For: Mark Christensen 05/05/2009

\*\* 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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