GAULKE MICHAEL R

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GAULKE MICHAEL R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

EXPONENT INC [EXPO]

(Check all applicable)

(First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/13/2013

_X__ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

149 COMMONWEATH DRIVE

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

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

Person

below)

MENLO PARK, CA 94025

(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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	03/13/2013		M(1)	81	A	<u>(2)</u>	25,300	I	by Trust
Common Stock	03/13/2013		F(3)	42	D	\$ 52.38	25,258	I	by Trust
Common Stock	03/13/2013		M(4)	28,370	A	(2)	53,628	I	by Trust
Common Stock	03/13/2013		F(3)	11,795	D	\$ 52.38	41,833	I	by Trust

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)	Secu Acqu or D (D)	rities nired (A) isposed of r. 3, 4,	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>	03/13/2013		A(5)	81		03/13/2013	03/13/2013	Common Stock	81
Dividend Equivalent Rights	(1)	03/13/2013		M(1)		81	03/13/2013	03/13/2013	Common Stock	81
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	03/13/2013		M(4)		28,370	03/13/2013	03/13/2013	Common Stock	28,37

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CALILEE MICHAEL D							

GAULKE MICHAEL R
149 COMMONWEATH DRIVE X
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Signatures

By: Wendy Whitehouse For: Michael R.

Gaulke 03/15/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- ** 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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- (1) Settlement of dividend equivalent rights in connection with RSU release on a 1:1 basis.
- (2) Not applicable.
- (3) Reflects shares of common stock withheld by the Company to satisfy the tax withholding obligations of the Reporting Person.

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- (4) Reflects the conversion of shares of vested Restricted Stock Units granted on March 13, 2009 into shares of Common Stock on a 1:1 basis.
- (5) The dividend equivalent rights accrued on the March 13, 2009 RSU grant, which will be released on a 1:1 basis.

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