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(First) C/O APOLLO GLOBAL MANAGEMENT, LLC

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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> X 10% Owner Other (specify below)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

6. Ownership Form: Direct

(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

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10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 4)

See

footnote (1)

11. Nature of Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(Check all applicable) Director

> Officer (give title below)

5. Amount of Securities

Beneficially Owned Following

28,647,136

9. Number of derivative

Beneficially
Owned
Following
Reported
Transaction(s)

Securities

(Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Apollo Management Holdings GP, LLC | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Exela Technologies, Inc. [XELA] | | | | | | | 5. Relationship (Check all appl Direct | | | |
| (Last) 9 W. 57TI 43RD FL0 | (Fir. H STREET OOR | st) (I | Middle) | | | ate of 06/20 | | t Transa | action (N | lonth/ | Day/Year) | | | | Offic below | |
| (Street) NEW YO | | 7 1 | .0019 | | - 4. If | Ame | ndment, | Date of | f Origina | l Filed | i (Month/Day | y/Year) | | 6. Inc | Forn | n i |
| (City) | (Sta | ate) (2 | Zip) | | - | | | | | | | | | | . 0.0 | _ |
| | | Tab | le I - No | n-Deri | vative | Se | curitie | s Acc | quired | , Dis | sposed o | f, or E | Benefi | cially | / Owne | d |
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| Common S | Stock | | | 10/0 | 6/2017 | | | | J ⁽¹⁾ | | 2,921,62 | 14 | D \$ | 50.00 ⁽¹ | 28, | 6 |
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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/D | n Date, | 4. Transa Code (8) | | of | rities ired r osed) : 3, 4 | 6. Date Expirati (Month/ | ion Da | | 7. Title Amou Securi Under Deriva Securi and 4) | nt of ities lying itive ity (Instr | . 3 | B. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5) | |
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| | | Reporting Person* ent Holdings | GP, LL | <u>.C</u> | , | | , | | | | | | | | | |
| (Last) 9 W. 57TH 43RD FL0 | H STREET | (First) | (Midd | dle) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Street) NEW YO | RK 1 | NY | 1001 | 19 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (| (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Address of F Parent, L | Reporting Person* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 1 | | Reporting Person* Ioldings, L.P. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| 9 W. 57TH STREE | T, 43RD FLOOR | |
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| (Street) NEW YORK | NY | 10019 |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) |
| Name and Address of Novitex Parent | | |
| (Last) C/O APOLLO GLO 9 W. 57TH STREE | (First) DBAL MANAGEME T, 43RD FLOOR | (Middle) NT, LLC, |
| (Street) NEW YORK | NY | 10019 |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) |
| 1. Name and Address of Apollo Manage. | | |
| (Last) 2711 CENTERVIL | (First) LE ROAD, SUITE 40 | (Middle) |
| (Street) WILMINGTON | DE | 19808 |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) |
| 1. Name and Address of AIF VII Manag | - | |
| (Last) 9 W. 57TH STREE 43RD FLOOR | (First) | (Middle) |
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| (City) | (State) | (Zip) |
| 1. Name and Address of Apollo Manage | | |
| (Last) 2 MANHATTANV SUITE 203 | (First) ILLE ROAD | (Middle) |
| (Street) PURCHASE | NY | 10577 |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) |
| 1. Name and Address of Apollo Manage | | |
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| (Street) PURCHASE | NY | 10577 |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) |
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Explanation of Responses:

1. See Exhibit 99.1.

[see signatures attached as Exhibit 99.2]

10/10/2017

** 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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(1) On October 6, 2017, Novitex Parent, L.P. ("Parent") distributed 27,678,386 shares of common stock, par value \$0.0001, of Exela Technologies, Inc. (the "Issuer") to Apollo Novitex Holdings, L.P. ("Novitex Holdings"), which is a limited partner and unitholder of Parent, and distributed 2,921,614 shares of common stock of the Issuer that it held to its other unitholders. The shares of common stock reported as beneficially owned following the reported transaction are held of record by Novitex Holdings. Parent, Novitex Holdings and the other entities that are filing this Statement on Form 4, as described herein, are collectively referred to herein as the "Reporting Persons." Following the reported transaction, Parent no longer holds any shares of common stock of the Issuer and will no longer be included as a Reporting Person.

Novitex Parent GP, LLC ("Novitex GP") is the general partner of each of Parent and Novitex Holdings. Apollo Management VII, L.P. ("Management VII") is the manager of Novitex GP, and AIF VII Management, LLC ("AIF VII LLC") is the general partner of Management VII. Apollo Management, L.P. ("Apollo Management") is the sole member-manager of AIF VII LLC, and Apollo Management GP, LLC ("Apollo Management GP") is the general partner of Apollo Management. Apollo Management Holdings, L.P. ("Management Holdings") is the sole member-manager of Apollo Management GP, and Apollo Management Holdings GP, LLC ("Management Holdings GP") is the general partner of Management Holdings. Leon Black, Joshua Harris and Marc Rowan are the managers, as well as executive officers, of Apollo Management Holdings GP.

Each of the Reporting Persons, and Messrs. Black, Harris and Rowan, disclaims beneficial ownership of any shares of the Issuer's Common Stock that may be beneficially owned by any of the Reporting Persons, in each case except to the extent of any pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that any such entity or person is the beneficial owner of or has any pecuniary interest in, such securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.

The principal address of each of Parent, Novitex Holdings, Novitex GP, Management VII, AIF VII LLC, Apollo Management, Management GP, Management Holdings and Management Holdings GP, and Messrs. Black, Harris and Rowan, is 9 W. 57th Street, 43rd Floor, New York, New York 10019.

This Statement on Form 4 is filed by: (i) Novitex Parent, L.P., (ii) Apollo Novitex Holdings, L.P., (iii) Novitex Parent GP, LLC, (iv) Apollo Management VII, L.P., (v) AIF VII Management, LLC, (vi) Apollo Management, L.P., (vii) Apollo Management GP, LLC, (VII) Apollo Management Holdings, L.P., and (ix) Apollo Management Holdings GP, LLC

Name of Designated Filer: Apollo Management Holdings GP, LLC

Date of Event Requiring Statement: October 6, 2017

Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol: Exela Technologies, Inc. [XELA]

NOVITEX PARENT, L.P.

By: Novitex Parent GP, LLC its general partner

By: /s/ Laurie D. Medley
Name: Laurie D. Medley
Title: Vice President

APOLLO NOVITEX HOLDINGS, L.P.

By: Novitex Parent GP, LLC its general partner

By: /s/ Laurie D. Medley
Name: Laurie D. Medley
Title: Vice President

NOVITEX PARENT GP, LLC

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APOLLO MANAGEMENT VII, L.P.

By: AIF VII Management, LLC its general partner

By: /s/ Laurie D. Medley
Name: Laurie D. Medley
Title: Vice President

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its general partner

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Title: Vice President

APOLLO MANAGEMENT HOLDINGS GP, LLC

/s/ Laurie D. Medley Laurie D. Medley Vice President By: Name: Title:

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