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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* REXFORD JOHN H						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Exela Technologies, Inc. [XELA]										Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) 4328 LOI						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/17/2022											Officer below)	(give title	Other (sp below)		specify
(Street) DALLAS (City)	S TX	ate) (.	Zip)	-Deriv		If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) tive Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefice									L	. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
1 Title of S	ecurity (Instr			2. Trans			A. Deem		·	3.		4. Securi					5. Amou		6. Ov	vnership	7. Nature
Date						r) E	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			Transaction Code (Instr.		Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,				4 and Securit		s ally ollowing	Form (D) o	n: Direct r Indirect astr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									[Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Pric	e	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111501. 4)
Common Stock 05/17/							022			D		39,68	39,680 D		(1)	125	25,002		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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transactior Code (Instr 8)		5. Num of Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr. and 5)	Expi	ate Exe iration I nth/Day	Date	ble and	7. Title and Am of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		s Securit	D	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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6.00% Series B Cumulative Convertible Perpetual Pref. Stock ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 1.25 ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	05/17/2022			A ⁽¹⁾		1,984		((1)(2)		(1)(2)	Com Sto		39,68	0	(3)	3,234		D	

- Example 11, 2022, the Issuer completed an orier to exchange shares of its Common Stock for its 6.00% Series B Cumulative Convertible Perpetual Preferred Stock (the "Series B Preferred Stock"), with each 20 shares of Common Stock being exchangeable in the Offer for one share of Series B Preferred Stock having a liquidation preference of \$25.00 per share of Series B Preferred Stock (an effective price of \$1.25 per share of Common Stock). For purposes of the exemption under Rule 16b-3 promulgated under the Exchange Act, the board of directors of the Issuer approved the transactions contemplated by this Form 4.
- 2. Holders of the Issuer's Series B Preferred Stock have the option to convert some or all of their shares of Series B Preferred Stock initially into shares of Common Stock at a Conversion Price of \$1.25 (subject to adjustment in certain events). In addition, if at any time the Five-Day VWAP of the Issuer's Common Stock exceeds the Conversion Price, the Issuer will have the option to convert all outstanding shares of Series B Preferred Stock into shares of Common Stock at the Conversion Price of \$1.25. The Series B Preferred Stock has no maturity date.
- 3. A liquidation preference of \$25.00 per share of Series B Preferred Stock means an effective price of \$1.25 per share of Common Stock tendered in the Offer.
- 4. On May, 17, 2022, the Issuer declared a dividend of one share of Tandem Preferred Stock for each share of outstanding Series B Preferred Stock as of May 17, 2022. Each share of Tandem Preferred Stock initially has 20 votes (representing the number of votes of the Common Stock surrendered in exchange for one share of Series B Preferred Stock).

Remarks:

See Exhibit 99.1 Exhibit List: Exhibit 99.1 - Explanation of Responses

05/19/2022 /s/ John H. Rexford

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).
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EXPLANATION OF RESPONSES

- (1) On May 17, 2022, the Issuer completed an offer to exchange shares of its Common Stock for its 6.00% Series B Cumulative Convertible Perpetual Preferred Stock (the "Series B Preferred Stock"), with each 20 shares of Common Stock being exchangeable in the Offer for one share of Series B Preferred Stock having a liquidation preference of \$25.00 per share of Series B Preferred Stock (an effective price of \$1.25 per share of Common Stock). For purposes of the exemption under Rule 16b-3 promulgated under the Exchange Act, the board of directors of the Issuer approved the transactions contemplated by this Form 4.
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