#### **EXPONENT INC** Form 3 April 11, 2006 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB APPROVAL FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB 3235-0104 Number: January 31,

### **INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Person <u>*</u> Osteraas	-	porting	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EXPONENT INC [EXPO]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	04/01/2006	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
149 COMM	ONWEAL	TH					Thea(monarbay, Tear)	
DRIVE			(Check all applica			e)		
(Street) MENLO PARK, CA 94025				Director 10% Owner Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) Group Vice President			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person	
							Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivat	ive Securiti	es Bei	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	1	
Common Sto	ock		434		D	Â		
Reminder: Repo owned directly	-		ach class of securities benefic	<sup>ially</sup> S	EC 1473 (7-02	)		
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#### Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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(Instr. 4) Expiration Date S (Month/Day/Year) D (I	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) Title	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	12/16/2009	Common Stock	1,500	\$ 6.875	D	Â
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	09/30/2007	Common Stock	2,000	\$ 7.5	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	03/12/2008	03/12/2008	Common Stock	1,144	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	03/11/2009	03/11/2009	Common Stock	506	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	03/10/2010	03/10/2010	Common Stock	1,290	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	Â

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
FB	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Osteraas John 149 COMMONWEALTH DRIVE MENLO PARK, CA 94025	Â	Â	Group Vice President	Â	
Signatures					
By: Wendy Whitehouse For: John F	)				

# By: Wendy Whitehouse For: John D. Osteraas

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).

04/11/2006

Date

- (1) The stock option becomes exercisable in four equal annual installments, commencing one year at the date of grant.
- (2) 1-for-1.

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