#### GAULKE MICHAEL R

Form 4 March 12, 2010

## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GAULKE MICHAEL R			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			EXPONENT INC [EXPO]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
149 COMMONWEATH DRIVE			03/10/2010	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
				Executive Chairman		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
MENLO PARK, CA 94025			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	,	
Common Stock	03/10/2010		M <u>(1)</u>	22,240 (2)	A	<u>(3)</u>	185,576	I	by Trust
Common Stock	03/10/2010		F(4)	8,696 (2)	D	\$ 28.3	176,880	Ι	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	ersion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionDerivative ercise any Code Securities of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A artive city (D)	th/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any		Securities ) Acquired (A) or Disposed of		Securities 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		nsactionDerivative de Securities str. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	and s	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share				
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(5)</u>	03/10/2010		M(1)		22,240 (2)	03/10/2010	03/10/2010	Common Stock	22,240				

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
GAULKE MICHAEL R 149 COMMONWEATH DRIVE MENLO PARK, CA 94025	X		Executive Chairman					

# **Signatures**

By: Wendy Whitehouse For: Michael R.

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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) Reflects the conversion of shares of vested Restricted Stock Units granted on March 10, 2006 into shares of Common Stock on a 1:1 basis.
- (2) Reflects a 2-for-1 stock split which became effective on May 24, 2006.
- (3) Not applicable.
- (4) Reflects shares of common stock withheld by the Company to satisfy the tax withholding obligations of the Reporting Person.
- (5) See Footnote 1.

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