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# FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Ratford Vincent

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

|                                      |   | XILINX                        | XILINX INC [XLNX]                                    |                          |        |               | (Check all applicable)   |  |   |  |
|--------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|--|--------------------------|--------|---------------|--|--|---|--|
| (Last) 2100 LOGIC                    |   | 3. Date of (Month/D) 04/27/20 | · ·  |                          |        |               | Director 10% Owner Other (specify below)  Sr. Vice President   |  |   |  |
| SAN JOSE,                            | (Street) CA 95124                       |                               | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) |                          |        |               | 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) <b>Tabl</b>              | e I - Non-D  | erivative S              | Securi | ties Acquire  | d, Disposed of, o  | r Beneficially   | Owned   |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                               | 3.<br>Transacti<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8)                | owr Dispos<br>(Instr. 3, | ed of  |               | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)                             | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
| XLNX<br>COMMON<br>STOCK              | 04/27/2011                              |                               | M  | 21,070                   | A      | \$ 25.84      | 23,041   | D  |   |  |
| XLNX<br>COMMON<br>STOCK              | 04/27/2011                              |                               | M  | 4,277                    | A      | \$ 22.8       | 27,318   | D  |   |  |
| XLNX<br>COMMON<br>STOCK              | 04/27/2011                              |                               | S  | 25,347<br>(1) (2)        | D      | \$<br>32.7926 | 1,971  | D  |   |  |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                                    |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|------------------------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                 | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable                                      | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Share |
| NQSO<br>(Right to<br>Buy)                           | \$ 25.84  | 04/27/2011                              |   | M                                      | 21,070  | 03/14/2007   | 03/14/2016         | XLNX<br>COMMON<br>STOCK   | 21,070                             |
| NQSO<br>(Right to<br>Buy)                           | \$ 22.8   | 04/27/2011                              |   | M                                      | 4,277   | 08/02/2006   | 07/03/2016         | XLNX<br>COMMON<br>STOCK   | 4,277                              |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |
|---------------------------------|---------------|
| Reporting Owner Maine / Address |               |

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Ratford Vincent 2100 LOGIC DR

2100 LOGIC DRIVE Sr. Vice President

SAN JOSE, CA 95124

## **Signatures**

Vincent Ratford 04/27/2011

\*\*Signature of 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) Price represents weighted average for sales reported. The range of prices for the sales reported is \$32.42 \$33.10
- (2) The reporting person will provide upon request by the commission staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

#### **Remarks:**

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