FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Owned Following

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Reported

(A) or (D)

Amount

Price

(I) (Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b)

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| 1. Title of Security                                    | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction  3. |  |    |   |                 |   |   |                            |              |                |       |  |  |
|---|---|--|----|---|-----------------|---|---|----------------------------|--------------|----------------|-------|--|--|
| (City)  | (City) (State) (Zip)  |  |    |   |                 |   |   | Form filed by Mo<br>Person | ore than One | Reporti        | ng    |  |  |
| (Street) NEW YORK NY 10017                              |   |  |    | If Amendment, Date                        | e of Original F | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person |   |                            |              |                |       |  |  |
| (Last)<br>280 PARK AVE                                  | ast) (First) (Middle) 80 PARK AVENUE  |  |    | Date of Earliest Tra<br>1/20/2012         | nsaction (Moi   | nth/Day/Year)   |   | Officer (give title below) |              | Other (spelow) | ecify |  |  |
| Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Talwar Vikram |   |  |    | Issuer Name <b>and</b> T<br>xlService Hol |                 |   | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner |                            |              |                |       |  |  |
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Code ν

if any (Month/Day/Year)

#### Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per 04/20/2012 $M^{(1)}$ \$8.75 62,268 $D^{(2)}$ 24,768 A Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per 04/20/2012 S<sup>(3)</sup> 37,500 $D^{(2)}$ 24,768 D \$27.5 share Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per 04/23/2012 $M^{(4)}$ $D^{(2)}$ 32,717 A \$8.75 70,217 share Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per 04/23/2012 $S^{(3)}$ $D^{(2)}$ 32,717 D \$27,7623(5) 37,500 share Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per See 603,880 footnote(6) share Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per See 130,223 Ι footnote<sup>(7)</sup> share

### 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<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | of  |        | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amount<br>of Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|-----|--------|--|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A) | (D)    | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |   |  |  |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Options<br>(right to<br>buy)   | \$8.75  | 04/20/2012                                 |   | M <sup>(1)</sup>             |   |     | 24,768 | (8)  | 02/10/2019         | Common<br>Stock,<br>par value<br>\$0.001<br>per share   | 24,768                                 | \$0   | 125,232  | D  |  |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Options<br>(right to<br>buy)   | \$8.75  | 04/23/2012                                 |   | M <sup>(4)</sup>             |   |     | 32,717 | (9)  | 02/10/2019         | Common<br>Stock,<br>par value<br>\$0.001<br>per share   | 32,717                                 | \$0   | 92,515   | D  |  |

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. On April 20, 2012, the reporting person exercised previously issued options to purchase an aggregate of 24,768 shares of common stock of ExlService Holdings, Inc.
- 2. Owned by Vikram Talwar.
- 3. This sale was made pursuant to a 10b5-1 plan previously entered into by the Talwar 1994 Trust (the "Trust").
- 4. On April 23, 2012, the reporting person exercised previously issued options to purchase an aggregate of 32,717 shares of common stock of ExlService Holdings, Inc.
- 5. This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$27.75 to \$27.85 per share. The price reported above reflects the weighted average purchase price on the date indicated. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transactions were effected.
- 6. Owned by the Trust.
- 7. Owned by the Vikram Talwar 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust.
- 8. 125.232 of these options are currently vested and exercisable.
- 9. 92,515 of these options are currently vested and exercisable.

#### Remarks:

Mr. Oseni is the Company's Head of Administration and Accounts.

/s/ Lazbart Oseni, Attorney-in- 04/24/2012 **Fact** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  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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