## **UNITED STATES**

## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

**CURRENT REPORT** 

Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of

The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): May 27, 2005

EXELIXIS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction

0-30235 (Commission File Number)

04-3257395 (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

**Identification No.)** 

170 Harbor Way

P.O. Box 511

#### South San Francisco, California 94083-0511

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(650) 837-7000

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### Item 1.01 Entry Into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On May 27, 2005 (the Effective Date ), Exelixis, Inc. (the Company ) entered into a lease agreement (the Lease ) with Britannia Pointe Grand Limited Partnership ( Landlord ) to expand into a facility containing approximately 47,566 square feet of office and laboratory space in South San Francisco (the New Building ). The New Building is adjacent to the Company s existing facilities in South San Francisco, all of which are leased from Landlord. The Lease also replaces and terminates an existing sublease (the Sublease ) between Sugen, Inc. ( Sugen ) and the Company for a facility containing approximately 67,672 square feet of office and laboratory space in South San Francisco (the Existing Building ), which lease was assigned by Sugen to Landord in July of 2004. In exchange for a termination payment of \$500,000, the Company has the right to terminate the portion of the Lease covering the New Building effective December 31, 2006, upon three months written notice.

The term of the Lease for the New Building commences on July 1, 2005 and the term of the Lease for the Existing Building commences on the Effective Date. Both lease terms end on July 31, 2018. The Company has an option to extend the Lease for a period of five years.

The New Building base rent is as follows:

Months		<b>Monthly Rent Per Square Footage</b>
7/1/05	6/30/06	Free Base Rent
7/1/06	12/31/06	\$1.30
1/1/07	7/31/18	\$2.75 with 2.5% Annual Increases

The Existing Building base rent, which is unchanged from the previous Sublease rent, is as follows:

Months	<b>Monthly Rent Per Square Footage</b>
Effective Date 7/31/05 8/1/05 7/31/06 8/1/06 7/31/18	Free Base Rent \$1.20 \$1.93 with \$0.05 Annual Increases
0/1/00 //31/10	\$1.95 with \$0.05 Annual increases

In addition to base rent, the Company will be responsible for certain costs and charges specified in the Lease, including operating expenses, real estate taxes and utility expenses.

A copy of the Lease is attached hereto as Exhibit 10.1. The description of the Lease in this Report does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the complete copy of the Lease attached hereto.

#### Item 1.02 Termination of a Material Definitive Agreement.

The information set forth in Item 1.01 is incorporated herein by this reference.

Item 2.03 Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under and off-balance sheet arrangement of registrant.

The information set forth in Item 1.01 is incorporated herein by this reference.

### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit 10.1 Lease Agreement, dated May 27, 2005, between Britannia Pointe Grand Limited Partnership and Exelixis, Inc.

#### **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

### EXELIXIS, INC.

Dated: May 27, 2005 By: /s/ Christoph Pereira

Christoph Pereira Vice President, Legal Affairs and Secretary

### EXHIBIT LIST

### Exhibit No. Description

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