

Wilson James Forbes
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Wilson James Forbes

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 XERIUM TECHNOLOGIES INC
 [XRM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 08/29/2012

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

C/O CARL MARKS
 MANAGEMENT COMPANY,
 LLC, 900 THIRD AVENUE, 33RD
 FLOOR

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

NEW YORK, NY 10022-4775

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share					13,460 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.001	08/29/2012		P	100,300 ⁽³⁾ ⁽⁴⁾	\$ 4.25 ⁽³⁾ ⁽⁴⁾ ⁽⁵⁾ ⁽⁶⁾	I ⁽³⁾ ⁽⁴⁾ ⁽⁵⁾ ⁽⁶⁾	See Footnotes ⁽³⁾ ⁽⁴⁾ ⁽⁵⁾ ⁽⁶⁾

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per share

Common Stock, par value	08/30/2012	P	4,600 ⁽³⁾ <u>(4)</u>	A	\$ 4.2442 <u>(2)</u>	2,051,882 ⁽³⁾ <u>(4) (5) (6)</u>	I ⁽³⁾ <u>(4) (5)</u> <u>(6)</u>	See Footnotes <u>(3) (4) (5) (6)</u>
\$0.001								
per share								

Common Stock, par value	08/31/2012	P	12,570 <u>(3) (4)</u>	A	\$ 4.3322 <u>(2)</u>	2,064,452 ⁽³⁾ <u>(4) (5) (6)</u>	I ⁽³⁾ <u>(4) (5)</u> <u>(6)</u>	See Footnotes <u>(3) (4) (5) (6)</u>
\$0.001								
per share								

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 6)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Wilson James Forbes C/O CARL MARKS MANAGEMENT COMPANY, LLC 900 THIRD AVENUE, 33RD FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022-4775	X			

Signatures

/s/ James Forbes
Wilson

08/31/2012

**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) This amount represents shares of common stock, par value \$0.001 per share ("Common Stock"), of Xerium Technologies, Inc. (the "Company"), and shares of Common Stock underlying all Director Deferred Stock Units ("Units") granted to James Forbes Wilson (the "Reporting Person") in consideration of his services as a director of the Company, which Units were settled immediately in shares of Common Stock.

(2) The purchase price of the shares of Common Stock reported in Column 4 of this report is a weighted-average price. The shares of Common Stock purchased on August 30, 2012, were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$4.22 to \$4.25, inclusive. The shares of Common Stock purchased on August 31, 2012, were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$4.25 to \$4.36, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Company, any security holder of the Company, or the Staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full and complete information regarding the number of shares of Common Stock purchased at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this Footnote (2).

(3) The Reporting Person is a director of the Company and is one of three individual managing members of Carl Marks Management Company, LLC ("CMMC"), a Delaware limited liability company and registered investment adviser, which is the investment adviser to (i) Carl Marks Strategic Investments, L.P. ("CMSI"), a Delaware limited partnership and private investment partnership, and (ii) Carl Marks Strategic Opportunities Fund, L.P. ("CMSO"), a Delaware limited partnership and private investment partnership. The Reporting Person is also one of three individual managing members of (x) CMSI GP, LLC ("CMSI GP"), a Delaware limited liability company and the general partner of CMSI, and (y) Carl Marks GP, LLC ("CMSO GP"), a Delaware limited liability company and the general partner of CMSO.

(4) Of the shares of Common Stock purchased on August 29, 2012, 23,728 shares were purchased by CMSI and 76,572 shares were purchased by CMSO. Of the shares of Common Stock purchased on August 30, 2012, 1,088 shares were purchased by CMSI and 3,512 shares were purchased by CMSO. Of the shares of Common Stock purchased on August 31, 2012, 2,974 shares were purchased by CMSI and 9,596 shares were purchased by CMSO. Following the transactions reported herein, CMSI holds 626,544 shares of Common Stock and CMSO holds 1,437,908 shares of Common Stock.

(5) Shares of Common Stock of the Company held by CMSI and CMSO may be deemed to be beneficially owned (i) indirectly by CMMC, as the investment adviser to CMSI and CMSO, (ii) indirectly by CMSI GP, as the general partner of CMSI, and CMSO GP, as the general partner of CMSO, respectively, and (iii) indirectly, on a shared basis, by the Reporting Person and the two other individual managing members of CMMC, the investment adviser to CMSI and CMSO, who share the power to direct the vote or disposition of such securities. CMMC and the three individual managing members of CMMC have previously filed statements pursuant to Section 13 and 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, with respect to the securities of the Company which they may be deemed to beneficially own.

(6) The Reporting Person's beneficial ownership of the Company's securities is limited to (i) his direct ownership of an aggregate of 13,460 Units and shares of Common Stock and (ii) his indirect interest (if any) in the shares of Common Stock held by CMSI and CMSO, limited to his pecuniary interest in CMSI and CMSO (if any).

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