KURLAND FRED Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **KURLAND FRED**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

XOMA LTD /DE/ [XOMA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

below)

(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title

C/O XOMA LTD., 2910 SEVENTH

(Street)

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

(First)

02/26/2009

Other (specify

STREET

4. If Amendment, Date Original

CFO & VP Finance 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

(Instr. 4)

Person

BERKELEY, CA 94710

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. 4. Securities Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

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

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T)

(Instr. 4)

(A)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Following Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 4. 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amor Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Transaction**Derivative **Expiration Date** Underlying Secur Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) any

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, 5)	f (D)				
				Code V	(A)	` /	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nui Sha
Incentive Share Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.56	02/26/2009		A	8,333		<u>(1)</u>	02/26/2019	Common Shares	8
Non-Qualified Share Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.56	02/26/2009		A	191,667		<u>(1)</u>	02/26/2019	Common Shares	19

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KURLAND FRED C/O XOMA LTD. 2910 SEVENTH STREET BERKELEY, CA 94710

CFO & VP Finance

Signatures

By: Christopher J. Margolin For: Fred Kurland

03/02/2009

**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) Incentive Stock Option exercisable in conjunction with matching Non-Qualified Stock Option as to forty-eight (48) equal and consecutive monthly installments beginning one month after the date of grant.

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