

ALEXANDERS INC  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
SONNENBLICK ARTHUR

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
ALEXANDERS INC [ALX]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
712 FIFTH AVENUE  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/19/2008

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

NEW YORK, NY 10019

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	09/19/2008		M		3,250 A \$ 70.375	3,250	D
Common Stock	09/19/2008		S		250 D \$ 400.04	3,000	D
Common Stock	09/19/2008		S		500 D \$ 402.23	2,500	D
Common Stock	09/19/2008		S		200 D \$ 402.56	2,300	D
Common Stock	09/19/2008		S		300 D \$ 405	2,000	D
Common Stock	09/19/2008		S		500 D \$ 406.2	1,500	D

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Common  
Stock

Common Stock	09/19/2008	S	500	D	\$ 406.48	1,000	D
Common Stock	09/19/2008	S	500	D	\$ 405.85	500	D
Common Stock	09/19/2008	S	500	D	\$ 410.56	0	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 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. Amount or Number of Shares
Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 70.375	09/19/2008		M	3,250	<u>(1)</u> 03/04/2009	Common Stock	3,250

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SONNENBLICK ARTHUR 712 FIFTH AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10019	X			

## Signatures

/s/ Arthur  
Sonnenblick  
09/19/2008  
Date

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

## 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) These options were granted on March 4, 1999 and became exercisable over the three year period commencing March 4, 2000.

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