FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Sparacio Joseph					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  IMAX CORP [ IMAX ]								Check	ationship of Reporting all applicable) Director Officer (give title		10% O			
(Last) (First) (Middle) IMAX CORPORATION					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/08/2012								X	below)	Exec V	P & (	below)	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	
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(Street) NEW YO	ORK N	Y	10022	4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					n	
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	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
Date				Transaction te onth/Day/Ye	Execution Date,			Code (Instr. 5)					4 and Securitie Benefici		es For ally (D) Following (I) (		Ownership rm: Direct or Indirect (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(11150.4)	
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/Yea	Code				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4)			of s ig e	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shares							
stock options (to buy)	\$25.82	03/08/2012		A		40,000		(1)	0	03/08/2019	common shares	40,00	0	\$25.82	40,000	)	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The stock options become exercisable in five installments: 4,000 on March 8, 2013; 6,000 on March 8, 2014; 8,000 on March 8, 2015; 10,000 on March 8, 2016 and 12,000 on March 8, 2017.

Joseph Sparacio

03/09/2012

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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