#### GELFOND RICHARD L

Form 4

December 16, 2010

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GELFOND RICHARD L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol IMAX CORP [IMAX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
110 EAST 59T 2100	TH STREET	, SUITE	(Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2010	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Chief Executive Officer		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
NEW YORK,	NY 10022		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of 6. Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Direct Owned (D) or Following Indirect (I)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
common shares	12/14/2010		M	80,000 (1)	A	<u>(1)</u>	306,650	D	
common shares	12/14/2010		D	80,000 (1)	D	\$ 26.09	226,650	D	
common shares							50,000	I	by "Gelfond 2001 Children's Trust"
common shares							25,050	I	by "Pamela Gelfond

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shares  Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities	128,750 es beneficially owned directly or indirectly.	I	Gelfond IRA"
common			by "Richard
common shares	25,050	I	by "Claudia Gelfond Trust"
			Trust"

 $\label{thm:convertible} \textbf{Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned} \\ \textit{(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)}$ 

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Secur Secur Acqu or Di (D)	rities nired (A) isposed of r. 3, 4,	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and of Underlyin Securities (Instr. 3 and	ng	8. Pr. Deriv Secu (Instr
			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
phantom stock	<u>(1)</u>	12/14/2010	M		80,000	(2)	(3)	common shares	80,000	<u>(</u>

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GELFOND RICHARD L 110 EAST 59TH STREET SUITE 2100 NEW YORK, NY 10022	X		Chief Executive Officer				
Signatures							
Pichard I							

Richard L	
Gelfond	12/14/2010
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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- \* 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) Each unit of phantom stock was the economic equivalent of one common share of IMAX Corporation. On December 14, 2010, 80,000 of Mr. Gelond's phantom stock was settled for cash.
- (2) The phantom stock became exercisable in two installments, 20,000 on July 1, 2001 and 60,000 on July 1, 2002.
- (3) No expiry.

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