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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Name and Address of Reporting Person * CASTELLO JOHN L			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol XOMA LTD /DE/ [XOMA]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O XOMA LTD., 2910 SEVENTH STREET				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/29/2006						X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President, CEO and				
(Street) BERKELEY, CA 94710				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person _ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City	")	(State)	(Zip)	T	able I - N	lon-De	rivative S	Securities	Acqui	ired, Dispo	osed of, or I	Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.		(A) or Disposed of		of (D)	(D) Beneficially Owned Fol Reported Transaction(s)		ollowing Own (s) Form	Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
				(World) Day Tear)	Code	· V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(msu. 3 a	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Commor	Shares		12/29/2006(1)		J		4,626	A 2	\$ 2.162	25,047			Ι	by 401(k)
Commor	Common Shares									107,195	5		D	
Commor	Shares									36,890			I	by Trust
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1. Title of				Derivative Securit (e.g., puts, calls, wa						ly Owned				

Reporting Owners

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CASTELLO JOHN L C/O XOMA LTD. 2910 SEVENTH STREET BERKELEY, CA 94710	X		President, CEO and				

Signatures

By: Christopher J. Margolin For: John L. Castello	12/29/2006
**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) All shares were acquired during the 2006 fiscal year under the XOMA Corporation Deferred Savings Plan. All shares were acquired in a transaction exempt from Section 16(b).

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