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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading WERDANN MICHAEL A Issuer Symbol NETGEAR, INC [NTGR]

(Check all applicable) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

WERDANN MICHAEL A 05/16/2016

(Middle)

(Zip)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below) SVP of Worldwide Sales

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

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

350 E. PLUMERIA DR. SAN JOSE, CA 95134

(State)

(First)

(City)	(State) ((Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/16/2016		F	337	D	\$ 42.87	29,465	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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. oriNumber 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.52					06/03/2014(1)	06/03/2024	Common Stock	9,750
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 38.01					05/24/2011 <u>(2)</u>	05/24/2021	Common Stock	0
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 35.32					02/03/2011(3)	02/03/2021	Common Stock	0
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.54					05/06/2013(4)	05/06/2023	Common Stock	5,250
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 33.15					04/26/2011(5)	04/26/2021	Common Stock	0
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.31					06/06/2012(6)	06/06/2022	Common Stock	625
Employee Stock Option (Right to	\$ 31.28					06/02/2015(7)	06/02/2025	Common Stock	18,000

Buy)

Employee Stock

Option \$ 39.53

(Right to Buy)

03/24/2016(8) 03/24/2026 Com

Common Stock 18,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WERDANN MICHAEL A
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SVP of Worldwide Sales

350 E. PLUMERIA DR. SAN JOSE, CA 95134

Signatures

/s/ Andrew W. Kim, Attorney in Fact

05/18/2016

**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) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 6/3/2015, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (2) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 5/24/2012, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (3) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 2/3/2012, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (4) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 5/6/2014, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (5) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 4/26/2012, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (6) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 6/6/2013, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (7) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 6/2/2016, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.

This Option shall be exercisable, in whole or in part, in accordance with the following schedule: 25% of the Shares subject to the Option shall vest twelve months after the Vesting Start Date, and 1/48 of the Shares subject to the Option shall vest each month thereafter, subject to the Optionee continuing to be a Service Provider on such dates.

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