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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 *

1(b).

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading FALCON MICHAEL F Issuer Symbol NETGEAR, INC [NTGR] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title NETGEAR, INC., 350 E. 06/23/2016 below) PLUMERIA DR. SVP, Operations

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

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SAN JOSE, CA 95134

	(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	or Beneficiall	y Owned
,	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction(A) or		urities Acquired Disposed of (D) 3, 4 and 5) (A)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
	Common Stock	06/23/2016		M(1)	16,509	A	\$ 35.32	52,772	D	
	Common Stock	06/23/2016		S <u>(1)</u>	16,509	D	\$ 48	36,263	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ionDerivative 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)	\$ 35.32	06/23/2016		M <u>(1)</u>		16,509	(2)	02/03/2021	Common Stock	16,509
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.54						(3)	05/16/2023	Common Stock	5,730
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.52						<u>(4)</u>	06/03/2024	Common Stock	12,500
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.28						(5)	06/02/2025	Common Stock	25,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 39.53						(5)	03/24/2026	Common Stock	25,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
.t	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
FALCON MICHAEL F			SVP, Operations					
NETGEAR, INC.								
350 E. PLUMERIA DR.								

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Signatures

/s/ Andrew W. Kim, Attorney in Fact

06/23/2016

**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) The exercise and sale reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on February 26, 2016.
- (2) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 2/3/2012, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (3) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 5/16/2014, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (4) 25% of the options will be exercisable on 6/03/2015, 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
- (5) 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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