OLSON CHARLES T

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **OLSON CHARLES T**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

NETGEAR, INC [NTGR]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle) (Last)

(Street)

(Ctota)

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

Director 10% Owner Other (specify

SVP, Engineering

NETGEAR, INC., 350 E.

05/17/2010

X_ Officer (give title below)

PLUMERIA DR.

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SAN JOSE, CA 95134

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-De	rivative 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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi (A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/17/2010		M(12)	334	A	\$ 11.41	5,460	D	
Common Stock	05/17/2010		S(12)	334	D	\$ 24.32	5,126	D	

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (\emph{e.g.}, puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \\ \end{tabular}$

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)	Transaction of		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	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
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>					<u>(7)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	2,125
Restricted Stock Units	(2)					<u>(8)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	4,250
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.68					<u>(1)</u>	05/23/2016	Common Stock	9,063
Restricted Stock Units	(2)					(3)	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 29.23					<u>(5)</u>	01/12/2017	Common Stock	15,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.79					<u>(6)</u>	01/11/2018	Common Stock	16,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.41	05/17/2010		M(12)	334	<u>(9)</u>	01/16/2019	Common Stock	334
Restricted Stock Units	(2)					(10)	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	6,375

Employee Stock

Option \$ 21.1

(Right to Buy)

 $\frac{(11)}{(11)}$ 02/02/2020 Common Stock 6,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

OLSON CHARLES T NETGEAR, INC. 350 E. PLUMERIA DR. SAN JOSE, CA 95134

SVP, Engineering

Signatures

/s/ Andrew W. Kim, Attorney in Fact

05/19/2010

**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 5/23/2007, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (2) Converts to common stock on a one for one basis.
- (3) Stock units will be paid in an equal number of shares of the Issuer's common stock upon vesting of the units. 25% of the units will cliff vest on each anniversary of 5/23/06, the vest start date, so that all of the units will have vested on 5/23/2010.
- (4) Not applicable.
- (5) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 1/12/2008, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (6) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 1/11/2009, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (7) Stock units will be paid in an equal number of shares of the Issuer's common stock upon vesting of the units. 25% of the units will cliff vest on each anniversary of 1/12/2007, the vest start date, so that all of the units will have vested on 1/12/2011.
- (8) Stock units will be paid in an equal number of shares of the Issuer's common stock upon vesting of the units. 25% of the units will cliff vest on each anniversary of 1/11/2008, the vest start date, so that all of the units will have vested on 1/11/2012.
- (9) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 1/16/2010, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (10) Stock units will be paid in an equal number of shares of the Issuer's common stock upon vesting of the units. 25% of the units will cliff vest on each anniversary of 1/16/2009, the vesting start date, so that all of the units will have vested on 1/16/2013.
- (11) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 2/2/2011, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (12) 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 May 18, 2009.

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