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| FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 | | | | | | OMB Number: | 3235-0287 | | | |
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| Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b). Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Print or Type Responses) | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Name and A ROSSMAN | r Name and Ticker or Trading EAR, INC [NTGR] | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | |
| (Last) | | | | of Earliest Transaction 'Day/Year) | | | _X_Director10% Owner | | | |
| C/O NETGEAR, INC., 350 E. 05/25/20 PLUMERIA DR. | | | - | | | Officer (give titleOther (specify below) | | | | |
| (Street) 4. If Amer | | | endment, Date Original | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | | |
| SAN JOSE, | Month/Day/Year) | | | | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting | | | | | |
| 5/11/3052, | 011 / 5154 | | | | | | Person | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tabl | le I - Non-D | erivative S | Securi | ties Ac | quired, Disposed o | f, or Beneficial | lly Owned | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) any | | 3.4. SecuritiesTransactionAcquired (A) orCodeDisposed of (D)(Instr. 8)(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | SecuritiesFBeneficially()OwnedIFollowing()Reported() | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Indirect Beneficial | | |
| Com | | | Code V | Amount | or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | |
| Common Stock | 05/25/2010 | | А | 6,000 (1) | А | \$0 | 27,400 | D | | |
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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | Underlying S | 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 | |
| Director Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 14.75 | | | | | (2) | 06/02/2019 | Common Stock | 1,800 | |

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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| 1 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| ROSSMAN GREGORY J C/O NETGEAR, INC. 350 E. PLUMERIA DR. SAN JOSE, CA 95134 | Х | | | | | | |
| Signatures | | | | | | | |
| /s/ Gregory J. Rossmann, by Avin Fact | 05/27/2009 | | | | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Persor | ı | | Date | | | | |
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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) Shares are represented by restricted stock units. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer's common stock. 100% of the restricted stock units will vest on the date of the Issuer's 2011 Annual Meeting of Stockholders.
- (2) The option was granted under the NETGEAR, Inc. 2006 Long-Term Incentive Plan. The option becomes exercisable in full on the date of the Issuer's 2010 Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

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