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Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Addr OLSON CHAI	_	ng Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NETGEAR, INC [NTGR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)			
NETGEAR, INC., 350 E. PLUMERIA DR.			(Month/Day/Year) 08/02/2011	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (special below) SVP, Engineering			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
SAN JOSE, CA	A 95134		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-De	rivative S	ecuri	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3.	4. Securi		•	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	(Wolldin Day) Tear)	any	Code	(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		(A) or	D.	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/02/2011		Code V $M_{\underline{(11)}}$	Amount 375	(D)	Price \$ 21.1	8,997	D	
Common Stock	08/02/2011		S <u>(11)</u>	375	D	\$ 32.35	8,622	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)			6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day)	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	7 (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>						<u>(4)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	2,125
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.79						(3)	01/11/2018	Common Stock	2,667
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.41						<u>(5)</u>	01/16/2019	Common Stock	6,667
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>						<u>(6)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock	4,250
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.1	08/02/2011		M <u>(11)</u>		375	<u>(7)</u>	02/02/2020	Common Stock	375
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.8						<u>(8)</u>	06/13/2020	Common Stock	4,500
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 35.32						<u>(9)</u>	02/03/2021	Common Stock	6,000

Employee Stock

Option \$ 33.15

(Right to Buy)

(10) 04/26/2021 Common Stock 1,200

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

08/04/2011

**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) Converts to common stock on a one for one basis.
- (2) Not applicable.
- (3) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 1/11/2009, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (4) 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.
- (5) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 1/16/2010, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- 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.
- (7) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 2/2/2011, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (8) 25% of the shares subject to the option shall vest on 6/13/2011, and 1/48th 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.
- (9) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 2/3/2012, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (10) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 4/26/2012, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (11) 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 July 26, 2010.

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