WERDANN MICHAEL A

Form 4

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad WERDANN	•	_	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NETGEAR, INC [NTGR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(Pilst)	(Wilduic)		Director 10% Owner			
NETGEAR, PLUMERIA			(Month/Day/Year) 11/02/2011	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Chec			
SAN JOSE, O	CA 95134		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-De	rivative S	ecurit	ties 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi (A) or D (D) (Instr. 3,	4 and (A) or	d of	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	11/02/2011		M(12)	312	A	\$ 21.1	5,112	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2011		M(12)	250	A	\$ 20.8	5,362	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2011		M(12)	313	A	\$ 21.1	5,675	D	
Common Stock	11/02/2011		S(12)	875	D	\$ 35	4,800	D	

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

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

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 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
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>					<u>(4)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	1,500
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.79					(3)	01/11/2018	Common Stock	938
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.41					<u>(5)</u>	01/16/2019	Common Stock	4,688
Restricted Stock Units	(1)					<u>(6)</u>	(2)	Common Stock	3,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.1	11/02/2011		M <u>(12)</u>	625	<u>(7)</u>	02/02/2020	Common Stock	625
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.8	11/02/2011		M <u>(12)</u>	250	(8)	06/13/2020	Common Stock	250
	\$ 35.32					<u>(9)</u>	02/03/2021		15,000

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Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)				Common Stock	
Common Stock	\$ 33.15	(10)	04/26/2021	Common Stock	2,400
Common Stock	\$ 38.01	(11)	05/24/2021	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WERDANN MICHAEL A NETGEAR, INC. 350 E. PLUMERIA DR. SAN JOSE, CA 95134

VP, Worldwide Retail Sales

Signatures

/s/ Andrew W. Kim, Attorney in Fact

11/04/2011

**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.
- 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) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 5/24/2012, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (12) The exercises and sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 3, 2011.

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