ONEILL TIMOTHY G

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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)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ONEILL TIMOTHY G			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COGENT COMMUNICATIONS GROUP INC [CCOI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 1015 31ST S'	(First) T., NW	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/06/2008	Director 10% Owner Other (specify below)  VP Field Engineering			
WASHINGT	(Street) ON, DC 200	007	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State) (	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties A	cquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or D	ispose	d of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Code (D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
common stock	05/06/2008(1)		M	1,000	A	\$ 4.88	51,000 (2)	D	
common stock	05/06/2008(1)		S	1,000	D	\$ 22.5	50,000 (2)	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number owf Derivative 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
Options to purchase common stock	\$ 4.88 <u>(1)</u>	05/06/2008		M	1,000	10/26/2005	10/26/2015	common stock	1,000

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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ONEILL TIMOTHY G 1015 31ST ST., NW WASHINGTON, DC 20007

**VP Field Engineering** 

## **Signatures**

Timothy O'Neill 05/07/2008

\*\*Signature of 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) This exercise of options to acquire 1,000 shares of common stock at a purchase price of \$4.88 per share and the sale of 1,000 shares of common stock was implemented pursuant to Mr. O'Neill's structured sale plan (10b5-1 plan).
- (2) A portion of these securities is not vested.

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