FAISON RALPH E Form 4

May 27, 2010

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FAISON RALPH E

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

NETGEAR, INC [NTGR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

A

05/25/2010

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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

Issuer

(Street)

PLUMERIA DR.

SAN JOSE, CA 95134

(State)

C/O NETGEAR, INC., 350 E.

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) Reported

D

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common 05/25/2010 Stock

6,000 \$0 27,000 (4)

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	of		e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Pri Deriv Secui (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.97					<u>(1)</u>	05/18/2015	Common Stock	15,000	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14					<u>(2)</u>	07/30/2013	Common Stock	25,000	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.75					05/18/2005	06/16/2014	Common Stock	15,000	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 14.75					<u>(3)</u>	06/02/2019	Common Stock	1,800	

Reporting Owners

/s/ Andrew W. Kim, Attorney

in Fact

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
FAISON RALPH E C/O NETGEAR, INC. 350 E. PLUMERIA DR. SAN JOSE, CA 95134	X					
Signatures						

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**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) 100% of this option grant is exercisable on 05/18/2005, the grant date. Shares underlying the option are restricted from transfer, with the restriction lapsing on the date of the Issuer's 2006 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, which was held on May 23, 2006.
- (2) This stock option was granted under the NETGEAR, Inc. 2000 Option Plan on July 30, 2003. Such option becomes exercisable at a rate of 1/3rd of the option on each anniversary of the grant date.
- (3) 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.
- (4) 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.

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