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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * FALCON MICHAEL F			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NETGEAR, INC [NTGR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middl		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
NETGEAR, INC., 350 E. PLUMERIA DR.			(Month/Day/Year) 07/27/2017	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, Operations		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SAN JOSE, CA	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-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi n(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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	07/27/2017		Code V M(1)	Amount 0	(D)	Price \$ 32.52	38,586	D	
Common Stock	07/27/2017		S <u>(1)</u>	0	D	\$ 47.9	38,586	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo	sposed (D) str. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. I De Sec (In	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.52	07/27/2017		M <u>(1)</u>		520	(2)	06/03/2024	Common Stock	520	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.28						(3)	06/02/2025	Common Stock	18,230	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 39.53						(3)	03/24/2026	Common Stock	25,000	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 42.7						<u>(4)</u>	06/01/2027	Common Stock	25,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships								
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
FALCON MICHAEL F									
NETGEAR, INC.			CVD On anotions						
350 E. PLUMERIA DR.			SVP, Operations						
SAN JOSE, CA 95134									

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/s/ Andrew W. Kim, Attorney in Fact

07/28/2017

**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) 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 August 12, 2016
- (2) 25% of the options will be exercisable on 6/03/2015, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- This Option shall be exercisable, in whole or in part, in accordance with the following schedule: 25% of the Shares subject to the Option (3) shall vest twelve months after the Vesting Start Date, and 1/48 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.

 This Option shall be exercisable, in whole or in part, in accordance with the following schedule: 25% of the Shares subject to the Option

(4) shall vest twelve months after the Vesting Start Date, June 1, 2017, and 1/48 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.

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