LO PATRICK CS

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *_ LO PATRICK CS			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	(Chech an appheacie)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner		
NETGEAR, INC., 350 E.			12/10/2010	X Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
PLUMERIA DR.				Chairman and CEO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)		
SAN JOSE, C	A 95134			_X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code Amount (D) Price Common See 12/10/2010 G 1,600 D \$0 193,175 Ι Stock footnote (1) Common See 12/10/2010 V 1,600 A \$0 44,183 I G Stock footnote (2) See Common 12/10/2010 4,486 D \$0 41,939 I footnote Stock (12)Common See 12/10/2010 V 4,486 I Α \$0 197,661 Stock footnote (1) Common 34,890 D Stock

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			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
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 15.35					<u>(14)</u>	03/11/2015	Common Stock	75,458
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.68					(3)	05/23/2016	Common Stock	100,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 29.23					<u>(6)</u>	01/12/2017	Common Stock	100,000
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>					<u>(7)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	5,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.79					<u>(8)</u>	01/11/2018	Common Stock	100,000
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>					<u>(9)</u>	(5)	Common Stock	10,000

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Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.41	(10)	01/16/2019	Common Stock	100,000
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	(11)	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	15,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.1	<u>(13)</u>	02/02/2020	Common Stock	100,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.8	(15)	06/13/2020	Common Stock	40,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting owner runner runners	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
LO PATRICK CS NETGEAR, INC. 350 E. PLUMERIA DR. SAN JOSE, CA 95134	X		Chairman and CEO			

Signatures

/s/ Andrew W. Kim, Attorney in Fact 12/23/2010

**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 shares are held by the Patrick and Emily Lo Revocable Trust dated 4-7-99.
- (2) The shares are held by the education trusts of Mr. Lo's children. Mr. Lo is a co-trustee of each such trust.
- (3) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 5/23/2007, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (4) Converts to common stock on a one for one basis.
- (5) Not applicable.
- (6) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 1/12/2008, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (7) 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 1/12/2007, the vest start date, so that all of the units will have vested on 1/12/2011.

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- (8) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 1/11/2009, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (9) 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.
- (10) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 1/16/2010, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (11) 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.
- (12) The shares are held by the Patrick C.S. Lo 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust.
- (13) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 2/2/2011, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- 100% of this option grant is exercisable on 3/11/05, the grant date. Shares underlying the option are restricted from transfer, with the (14) restriction lapsing with respect to 25% of the shares on each subsequent anniversary of the grant date, so that all underlying shares will be free from transfer restrictions on 3/11/09.
- (15) 25% of the shares subject to the option shall vest twelve months 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.

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