

NETGEAR, INC  
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 Address of Reporting Person \*  
WERDANN MICHAEL A

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 (Month/Day/Year)  
09/12/2016

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)

SVP of Worldwide Sales

WERDANN MICHAEL A

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

350 E. PLUMERIA DR. SAN JOSE, CA 95134

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	09/12/2016		M <sup>(1)</sup>		1,125	A	\$ 32.52
Common Stock	09/12/2016		M <sup>(1)</sup>		1,125	A	\$ 32.54
Common Stock	09/12/2016		M <sup>(1)</sup>		5,625	A	\$ 31.28
Common Stock	09/12/2016		S <sup>(1)</sup>		7,875	D	\$ 56.43

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.52	09/12/2016		M <sup>(1)</sup>	1,125	06/03/2014 <sup>(2)</sup> 06/03/2024	Common Stock	1,125
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.54	09/12/2016		M <sup>(1)</sup>	1,125	05/06/2013 <sup>(3)</sup> 05/06/2023	Common Stock	1,125
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.28	09/12/2016		M <sup>(1)</sup>	5,625	06/02/2015 <sup>(4)</sup> 06/02/2025	Common Stock	5,625
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 39.53					03/24/2016 <sup>(5)</sup> 03/24/2026	Common Stock	18,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WERDANN MICHAEL A WERDANN MICHAEL A 350 E. PLUMERIA DR. SAN JOSE, CA 95134			SVP of Worldwide Sales	

## Signatures

/s/ Andrew W. Kim, Attorney  
in Fact

09/14/2016

\_\_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 February 8, 2016.
- (2) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 6/3/2015, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (3) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 5/6/2014, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (4) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 6/2/2016, 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 (5) 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.

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