

Kim Andrew Wonki
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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 *
 Kim Andrew Wonki

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O NETGEAR, INC., 350 E. PLUMERIA DR.

(Street)

SAN JOSE, CA 95134

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 NETGEAR, INC [NTGR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/16/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

VP, Legal and Corp. Dev.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) | Price | | |
| | | | Code | V | Amount | | |
| Common Stock | 01/16/2012 | | F | | \$ 37.53 | D | |
| | | | | | 14,599 | | |

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. 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) | 8. Price 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) | \$ 11.56 | | | | | <u>(2)</u> | 10/21/2018 | Common Stock | 8,000 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 11.41 | | | | | <u>(3)</u> | 01/16/2019 | Common Stock | 8,000 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 21.1 | | | | | <u>(4)</u> | 02/02/2020 | Common Stock | 15,000 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 20.8 | | | | | <u>(5)</u> | 06/13/2020 | Common Stock | 8,000 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 18.59 | | | | | <u>(1)</u> | 06/03/2018 | Common Stock | 5,000 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 35.32 | | | | | <u>(6)</u> | 02/03/2021 | Common Stock | 15,000 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 33.15 | | | | | <u>(7)</u> | 04/26/2021 | Common Stock | 1,600 |

Buy)

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Kim Andrew Wonki C/O NETGEAR, INC. 350 E. PLUMERIA DR. SAN JOSE, CA 95134 | | | VP, Legal and Corp. Dev. | |

Signatures

/s/ Andrew W.
Kim

01/18/2012

**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) This option becomes exercisable as to 1/4 of the shares on the first anniversary of the vesting commencement date of March 31, 2008, and 1/48th of the shares become exercisable each month thereafter.
- (2) This option becomes exercisable as to 1/4 of the shares on the first anniversary of the vesting commencement date of October 21, 2008, and 1/48th of the shares become exercisable each month thereafter.
- (3) This option becomes exercisable as to 1/4 of the shares on the first anniversary of the vesting commencement date of January 16, 2009, and 1/48th of the shares become exercisable each month thereafter.
- (4) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 2/2/2011, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (5) 25% of the shares subject to the option shall vest 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.
- (6) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 2/3/2012, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (7) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 4/26/2012, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.

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