

GODWIN A TIMOTHY  
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**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 \*  
 GODWIN A TIMOTHY

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 05/25/2010

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

(Street)  
 SAN JOSE, CA 95134

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

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					3,415	I	Shares are held by the Maureen A. Godwin Family Trust
Common Stock	05/25/2010		A	6,000 (4)	\$ 0 27,400	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. 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 or Amount of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	
				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	35,000
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

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GODWIN A TIMOTHY C/O NETGEAR, INC. 350 E. PLUMERIA DR.	X			

SAN JOSE, CA 95134

## Signatures

/s/ Andrew Kim, Attorney

in Fact

05/27/2010

\_\_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) 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) This 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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