#### FALCON MICHAEL F

Form 4

October 24, 2017

## FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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1(b).

Common

Common

Stock

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

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See Instruction

FALCON N	MICHAEL F  (First)		EAR, INC [NTGR] of Earliest Transaction	Issuer (Check all applicable)			
• •	, INC., 350 E.	,	Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)  SVP, Operations			
	(Street)		endment, Date Original onth/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
SAN JOSE,				Form filed by M Person	Iore than One Re	porting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price	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

520

520

 $M_{\underline{-}1}^{(1)}$ 

 $S^{(1)}$ 

(D)

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Price

39.53

\$ 50

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	omof Deriv Secu Acqu (A) of Disp of (E) (Instr	5. Number of Expiration Date Expiration Date Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	(Instr. 3 and 4)		8. I De Seo (In
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.52						(2)	06/03/2024	Common Stock	4,167	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.28						(3)	06/02/2025	Common Stock	16,667	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 39.53	10/24/2017		M <u>(1)</u>		520	(3)	03/24/2026	Common Stock	520	
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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## **Signatures**

/s/ Andrew W. Kim, Attorney in Fact

10/24/2017

\*\*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 April 28, 2017
- (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,
- (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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