

Xie Ken
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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 *
Xie Ken

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FORTINET INC [FTNT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/19/2010

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

President & CEO

C/O FORTINET, INC. 1090 KIFER ROAD

(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

SUNNYVALE, CA 94086

(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 | (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 10/19/2010 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 90,000 | D | \$ 25.4271 ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | 590,584 | I | See footnote ⁽³⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | 1,500,000 | I | See footnote ⁽⁴⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | 590,584 | I | See footnote |

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| Common Stock | 1,500,000 | I | (5) See footnote (6) |
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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 of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
| | | | | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| | | | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Xie Ken C/O FORTINET, INC. 1090 KIFER ROAD SUNNYVALE, CA 94086 | X | X | President & CEO | |

Signatures

/s/ John Whittle, by power of attorney
10/21/2010

__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 sale reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on November 30, 2009, as amended.

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- The sale price reported in column 4 of Table I represents the weighted average sale price of the shares sold ranging from \$25.00 to \$25.83
- (2) per share. Upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, the Reporting Person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
 - (3) Shares held directly by The Ken Xie 2007 Annuity Trust dated September 25, 2007 for which the Reporting Person serves as trustee.
 - (4) Shares held directly by The Ken Xie 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated September 10, 2009 for which the Reporting Person serves as trustee.
 - (5) Shares held directly by The Winnie Hiu-Yin Lee 2007 Annuity Trust dated September 25, 2007 for which the Reporting Person's spouse serves as trustee.
 - (6) Shares held directly by The Winnie Hiu-Yin Lee 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated September 10, 2009 for which the Reporting Person's spouse serves as trustee.

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