

GANESAN VENKY
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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 *
GANESAN VENKY

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O PALO ALTO NETWORKS
INC., 3300 OLCOTT STREET

(Street)

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Palo Alto Networks Inc [PANW]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/23/2012

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)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 | 10/23/2012 | | S | D | 0 | I | See footnote (1) (2) |

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 Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| GANESAN VENKY C/O PALO ALTO NETWORKS INC. 3300 OLCOTT STREET SANTA CLARA, CA 95054 | X | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Jeff True, Attorney in-Fact for Venky Ganesan 10/23/2012

**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) Globespan Capital Partners V, L.P. (the "Fund") participated in a secondary offering by the Issuer (the closing of which occurred on October 23, 2012) in which the Fund sold 1,500,000 of the 4,917,543 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer held by the Fund prior to such sale, at a price to the public of \$63.00 per share (before underwriting discounts and associated expenses of the offering). After giving effect to such sale, the Fund holds 3,417,543 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer. Globespan Management Associates V, L.P. is the sole general partner (the "General Partner") of the Fund, and Globespan Management Associates V, LLC is the sole general partner of the General Partner.

(2) The reporting person is a limited partner of the General Partner and a Managing Director of the management company of the Fund. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by the Fund and this report shall not be deemed an admission that such reporting person is the beneficial owner of such shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest, if any, in such shares by virtue of his limited partnership interest in the General Partner.

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