Palo Alto Networks Inc Form 4 March 23, 2016

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Tomlinson Steffan

(First) (Middle)

C/O PALO ALTO NETWORKS INC., 4401 GREAT AMERICA **PKWY**

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Palo Alto Networks Inc [PANW]

(Month/Day/Year) 03/21/2016

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tah	ole I - Non-	-Derivative	Secu	rities Acquii	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	` ′	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)
Common Stock	03/21/2016		M	21,000	A	\$ 15.5	171,843	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2016		M	15,000	A	\$ 55.36	186,843	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2016		S <u>(1)</u>	7,400	D	\$ 153.675 (2)	179,443	D	
Common Stock	03/21/2016		S <u>(1)</u>	28,508 (3)	D	\$ 154.796 (4)	150,935	D	

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Common Stock	03/21/2016	S <u>(1)</u>	10,020	D	\$ 155.538 140,915 (5)	D
Common Stock	03/21/2016	S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 156.45 140,950 <u>(6)</u>	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title and Amount 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)	\$ 15.5	03/21/2016		M	21,000	<u>(7)</u>	03/05/2022	Common Stock	21,000
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 55.36	03/21/2016		M	15,000	<u>(7)</u>	01/20/2023	Common Stock	15,000

Reporting Owners

	Report	ting	Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
				Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
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Tomlinson Steffan C/O PALO ALTO NETWORKS INC. 4401 GREAT AMERICA PKWY SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

Chief Financial Officer

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/s/ Jeff True, Attorney-in-Fact for Steffan Tomlinson

03/23/2016

**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) Except where noted, the sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person.
- This sale price represents the weighted average sale price of the shares sold ranging from \$153.20 to \$154.09 per share. Upon request by (2) 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 within the range set forth in this Form 4.
- (3) Includes 2,116 shares sold upon vesting of restricted stock units to cover tax withholding obligations.
- This sale price represents the weighted average sale price of the shares sold ranging from \$154.21 to \$155.20 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 within the range set forth in this Form 4.
- This sale price represents the weighted average sale price of the shares sold ranging from \$155.21 to \$156.13 per share. Upon request by (5) the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, the Reporting Person will provide full information regarding the
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- (6) Includes shares acquired by the Reporting Person pursuant to the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (7) The shares subject to the option were fully vested and exercisable.

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