

LUNSFORD MICHAEL C

Form 4

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 1(b).

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 LUNSFORD MICHAEL C

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
 Symbol

REALNETWORKS INC [RNWK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
 Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 2601 ELLIOTT AVENUE, SUITE
 1000

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

05/31/2011

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

Interim Chief Exec. Officer

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
 Applicable Line)

___X___ Form filed by One Reporting Person
 ____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
 Person

SEATTLE, WA 98121

(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

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title Underl (Instr. 3)
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Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Performance-based Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	05/31/2011		A	V	175,000		04/01/2012 ⁽²⁾	04/01/2018	Com Sto

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
LUNSFORD MICHAEL C 2601 ELLIOTT AVENUE SUITE 1000 SEATTLE, WA 98121	Interim Chief Exec. Officer

Signatures

/s/ Michael
Lunsford

06/02/2011

^{**}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) Converts into Common Stock on a unit-for-share basis upon vesting.

On May 31, 2011, the reporting individual was granted 175,000 performance-based restricted stock units ("PRSUs") that will vest as to a maximum of 100% of the shares on April 1, 2012, provided certain performance criteria are satisfied by such date. Up to one-third of the

(2) PRSUs units will vest based on the Company's achievement of certain strategic goals, up to an additional one-third of the PRSUs will vest based on the Company's achievement of certain transitional goals, and up to an additional one-third of the PRSUs will vest based on the Company's achievement of certain operational goals.

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