Schwartz Eric Form 4 April 10, 2013

# FORM 4

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad Schwartz Eri	•	orting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle) ONE LAGOON WAY		(Middle)	EQUINIX INC [EQIX] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
		(Made)	(Month/Day/Year) 04/08/2013	Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specibelow) below)  President, Equinix Europe			
(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			
REDWOOD	CITY, CA	94065		Form filed by More than One Reporting			

(City)	(State)	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)		sed of 4 and (A) or	` ′	Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Beneficial Ownership	
Common Stock	04/08/2013		A	9,821	A	\$ 0	23,089 (1)	D		
Common Stock	04/09/2013		S(2)	7,718	D	\$ 212.2143 (7) (8)	15,371	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 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. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	04/08/2013		M	2,762	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	2,762	\$
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	04/08/2013		M	3,000	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	3,000	\$
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	04/08/2013		M	4,059	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	4,059	\$

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Schwartz Eric

ONE LAGOON WAY

President, Equinix Europe
REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065

## **Signatures**

Darrin B. Short, Attorney-in-Fact

\*\*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) Includes 277 shares acquired under the Equinix, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on February 14, 2013.
- (2) Shares were sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 Trading Plan.
- (3) Restricted stock unit award expires upon reporting person's termination of employment.
- (4) On February 11, 2010, the reporting person was granted performance restricted stock units, the vesting of which was subject to both continued service and the attainment of certain revenue and EBITDA targets for 2010. These targets were achieved at the rate of 110.5%

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out of a possible 120%, therefore 50% of the achievement level of the award vested on 2/17/2011, with 25% additional units of the achievement level of the award scheduled to vest on each of February 15, 2012 and February 15, 2013, subject solely to continued service. The shares which vested on February 15, 2013 were suject to a deferral arrangement and settled on April 8, 2013.

On February 23, 2011, the reporting person was granted performance restricted stock units, the vesting of which was subject to both continued service and the attainment of certain revenue and EBITDA targets for 2011. These targets were achieved to the maximum (5) extent, and, therefore, 50% of the award vested on February 22, 2012, with 25% additional units scheduled to vest on each of February 15, 2013 and February 15, 2014, subject solely to continued service. The shares which vested on February 15, 2013 were suject to a deferral arrangement and settled on April 8, 2013.

On February 21, 2012, the reporting person was granted performance restricted stock units, the vesting of which was subject to both continued service and the attainment of certain revenue and EBITDA targets for 2012. These targets were achieved at the rate of 119.77% out of a possible 120%, therefore 50% of the achievement level of the award vested on 2/15/2013, with 25% additional units of the achievement level of the award scheduled to vest on each of February 15, 2014 and February 15, 2015, subject solely to continued service. The shares which vested on February 15, 2013 were suject to a deferral arrangement and settled on April 8, 2013.

The average price of \$212.2143 consists of the following blocks of shares: 100 shares sold at \$210.63, 100 at \$210.655, 100 at \$210.75, 100 at \$210.76, 100 at \$210.77, 100 at \$210.812, 100 at \$210.91, 100 at \$210.93, 100 at \$210.95, 100 at \$210.96, 100 at \$210.99, 100 at \$211.02, 100 at \$211.07, 100 at \$211.11, 100 at \$211.11, at 200 at \$211.17, 100 at \$211.23, 100 at \$211.29, 100 at \$211.512, 100 at \$211.512, 100 at \$211.512, 100 at \$211.512, 100 at \$211.81, 100 at \$211.82, 100 at \$211.97, 100 at \$212.07, 100 at \$212.08, 15 at \$212.1, 103 at \$212.1013, 200 at \$212.13, 100 at \$212.15, 100 at \$212.16, 100 at \$212.182, 100 at \$212.19, 100 at \$212.37, 200 at \$212.44, 200 at \$212.46, 100 at \$212.475 and 100 at \$212.49.

Additional blocks were: 100 at \$212.503, 100 at \$212.53, 100 at \$212.54, 100 at \$212.542, 100 at \$212.56, 100 at \$212.57, 100 at \$212.57, 100 at \$212.59, 200 at \$212.60, 100 at \$212.61, 100 at \$212.64, 100 at \$212.65, 100 at \$212.67, 200 at \$212.73, 100 at \$213.31, 100 at \$213.32, 100 at \$213.34, 100 at \$213.37, 100 at \$213.46, 100 at \$213.943, 200 at \$213.95, 100 at \$214.03, 100 at \$214.123, 100 at \$214.14, 100 at \$214.19, 100 at \$214.25, 100 at \$214.27 and 7718 at \$212.2143.

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