

EXTREME NETWORKS INC
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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 *
Gault Robert J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
EXTREME NETWORKS INC
[EXTR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
145 RIO ROBLES
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/15/2016

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP Worldwide Sales Services a

SAN JOSE, CA 95134

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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			
Common Stock	08/15/2016		F	(1) 7,440 D \$ 4	163,144	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)

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Title of Issuer (Instr. 3 and 4)
Performance Shares	\$ 0	08/15/2016		A	80,000	08/15/2017 ⁽²⁾ 08/15/2019	Common Stock	80,000
RSU Award	\$ 0	08/15/2016		A	80,000	08/15/2017 ⁽⁴⁾ 08/15/2019	Common Stock	80,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Gault Robert J 145 RIO ROBLES SAN JOSE, CA 95134			EVP Worldwide Sales Services a	

Signatures

Quentin Wright, Power of Attorney
08/17/2016

**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) The reporting person was granted 80,000 RSUs on August 15, 2015, which vest annually over 3 years in equal installments with the first vesting date on August 15, 2016. On August 15, 2016 a total of 27,200 shares vested. 7440 shares represents the aggregate number of shares of Issuer common stock withheld for payment of the tax liability incident to the vesting of the RSUs issued in accordance with Rule 16b-3.
- (2) Performance based RSU shares vest once the Company's stock equals or exceeds \$5.00 for 30 consecutive trading days after January 1, 2017 ("Performance Threshold"). Once Performance Threshold is satisfied the Performance-Based RSUs shall vest with respect to the number of Time-Based RSUs that have vested as of the date the Performance Threshold is satisfied and thereafter shall vest on the same schedule as the Time-Based RSUs (see footnote #4 below). If threshold is not met by the third anniversary of the grant date the award is terminated for no consideration.
- (3) Column 8 is not an applicable reportable field.
- (4) This Time Based RSU award vests from the original grant date as to 1/3 on the one year anniversary and 1/12 each quarter thereafter.

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