GANESAN VENKY Form 4

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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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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * GANESAN VENKY | | | suer Name and | | C | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
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| (Last) | (First) (M | fiddle) 3. Dat | Palo Alto Networks Inc [PANW] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) | | | (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner | | | |
| | ALTO NETWOR OLCOTT STREE | KS 10/23 | 3/2012 | | | | e titleOth | er (specify | |
| (Street) | | | mendment, Da Month/Day/Year | _ | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person | | | |
| SANTA CL | ARA, CA 95054 | | | | | Form filed by Person | 1 0 | | |
| (City) | (State) | Zip) T | able I - Non-D | erivative S | Securities A | f, or Beneficially Owned | | | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date any (Month/Day/Ye | Code ar) (Instr. 8) | 4. Securi onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, | l (A) or l of (D) | 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) | |

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. ionNumber of Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) | 5 | ate | Amou Under Secur | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr |
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| | | | | Code V | (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GANESAN VENKY

C/O PALO ALTO NETWORKS INC.

3300 OLCOTT STREET

Signatures

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

/s/ Jeff True, Attorney in-Fact for Venky
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**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).

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.

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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