NETGEAR INC Form 4

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FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **MCLEAN IAN** Issuer Symbol NETGEAR INC [NTGR] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify NETGEAR, INC., 4500 GREAT 09/28/2005 below) below) AMERICA PARKWAY VP, Asia Pacific Sales (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d 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)
Common Stock (5)	09/28/2005		M	8,750	A	\$ 8.57	8,750	D	
Common Stock (5)	09/28/2005		D	8,750	D	\$ 24.56	0	D	
Common Stock							656	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)	Secu Acqu (A) o Disp (D)	orities uired or osed of r. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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)	\$ 15.35						<u>(1)</u>	03/11/2015	Common Stock	15,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) (5)	\$ 8.57	09/28/2005		M		8,750	(2)	10/24/2010	Common Stock	8,750
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 14.79						(3)	02/26/2014	Common Stock	20,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.26						<u>(4)</u>	07/23/2014	Common Stock	20,000

Reporting Owners

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
MCLEAN IAN							
NETGEAR, INC. 4500 GREAT AMERICA PARKWAY			VP, Asia Pacific Sales				

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/s/ Ian McLean 09/28/2005

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).
 - 100% of this option grant is exercisable on 3/11/05, the grant date. Shares underlying the option are restricted from transfer, with the
- (1) restriction lapsing with respect to 25% of the shares on each subsequent anniversary of the grant date, so that all underlying shares will be free from transfer restrictions on 3/11/09.
- (2) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 10/24/01, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (3) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 2/26/05, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (4) 25% of the option grant is exercisable on 7/23/05, and 1/48 of the option grant is exercisable each month thereafter.
- (5) This transaction is made pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Plan that was adopted in August 2005.

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