FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Tomlinson Steffan					<u>Pa</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Palo Alto Networks Inc [PANW]									tionship of Reportin all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)		g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below)	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O PALO ALTO NETWORKS INC. 4401 GREAT AMERICA PKWY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/21/2016										Chief Financial Officer		
(Street) SANTA CLARA CA 95054				4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transactic Date (Month/Day/						on 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Ac Disposed Of (D)			of (D) (Ins	str. 3, 4 an	and 5) Secui Bene		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						246		Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Price		400	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock 12/21/20					016			S		2,332(1)			6.133 134,598 D					
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)	ivative Conversion Date Execution Date, urity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		on Date,	4. Transa Code (8)		Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Exercisable Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Number of Title Shares				9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents the number of shares automatically sold to cover tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units. This sale is mandated by the Issuer's election under its equity incentive plans to require the satisfaction of tax withholding obligations to be funded by a "sell to cover" transaction and does not represent a discretionary trade by the Reporting Person.

Remarks:

/s/ Jeff True, Attorney-in-Fact for Steffan Tomlinson 12/22/2016

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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