NETGEAR, INC Form 4 May 17, 2007

## FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading ROSSMAN GREGORY J Issuer Symbol NETGEAR, INC [NTGR] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title 500 NYALA FARM ROAD 05/15/2007 below) (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

WESTPORT, CT 06880

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common 6,000  $M^{(4)}$ 05/15/2007 <u>(4)</u> 6,000 (1) (4)  $D^{(1)}$ Α (1)(4)Stock

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. NumbonDerivati Securitic Acquire Dispose (Instr. 3	ve es d (A) or d of (D)	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
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	05/15/2007		A	6,000 (1) (2)		(2)	(2)	Common Stock (2)	6,000 (1) (2)
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	05/15/2007		M(4)		6,000 (1) (4)	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	6,000 (1) (4)

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ROSSMAN GREGORY J 500 NYALA FARM ROAD WESTPORT, CT 06880	X						

## **Signatures**

Gregory J. Rossmann, Director (1)

\*\*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).
- Gregory J. Rossmann is an employee of Pequot Capital Management, Inc., ("Pequot") and serves on the Board of Directors of the Issuer.

  Pequot is an investment advisor registered under Section 203 of the Investment Advisors Act of 1940 and disclaims any obligation to file this report. Pequot also disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that Pequot is, for the purposes of Section 16 of the Exhange Act or otherwise, the beneficial owner of such securities.
- (2) Stock units will be paid in an equal number of shares of the Issuer's common stock upon vesting of the units, which will occur on the date of the Issuer's 2008 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. Converts to common on a one-for-one basis.
- (3) Not applicable.
- (4) The Restricted Stock Units granted on May 23, 2006 fully vested as of May 15, 2007, the date of the Issuer's Annual Meeting of Stockholders and as such, converted on a one-for-one basis into shares of the Issuer's common stock.

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