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## FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Appleby Jarrett

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

**EQUINIX INC [EQIX]** 

(Check all applicable)

ONE LAGOON DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title below)

02/15/2011

Chief Marketing Officer

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

#### REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065

(State)

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactiomr Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or Code V Amount (D) Price			5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
Common Stock	02/15/2011		M	2,500	A	\$ 0	8,488 <u>(1)</u>	D			
Common Stock	02/16/2011		S(2)	1,088	D	\$ 91.3302 (3)	7,400	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)	e 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Underlying Securities		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	02/15/2011		M	2,500	<u>(4)</u>	(5)	Common Stock	2,500	\$

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Appleby Jarrett ONE LAGOON DRIVE REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065

Chief Marketing Officer

## **Signatures**

Darrin B. Short, Attorney-in-fact

\*\*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) Includes 367 shares acquired under the Equinix, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on February 14, 2011.
- (2) Shares sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 Trading Plan.
- (3) The average price of \$91.3302 consists of the following blocks of shares: 100 shares sold at \$90.78, 100 at \$90.91, 100 at \$91.28, 144 at \$91.30, 100 at \$91.40, 144 at \$91.41, 100 at \$91.43, 100 at \$91.51, 100 at \$91.54 and 100 at \$91.72.
- On March 9, 2009, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units, the vesting of which was subject to both continued service and the attainment of certain revenue and EBITDA targets for 2009. These targets were achieved to the maximum extent, therefore 50% of the award vested on 2/12/10, with 25% additional units scheduled to vest on each of February 15, 2011 and February 15, 2012, subject solely to continued service.
- (5) Restricted stock unit award expires upon reporting person's termination of employment.

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