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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 Per BACKAUS MARJORIE	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol EQUINIX INC [EQIX]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner			
(Last) (First) 301 VELOCITY WAY, 5TH F	(Middle) LOOR	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/22/2003						XOfficer (give title below)         Other (specify below)           Chief Business Officer		
(Street) FOSTER CITY, CA 94404	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 08/19/2003						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_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. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y)		Execution Date, if any	Code (Instr. 8)		*		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form: of Indirec Beneficia	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/18/2003	08/18/2003	S		2,266	D	\$16	3,595 <u>(1)</u>	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

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1. Title of			3A. Deemed	4. Terrer et		5.		6. Date Exer					9. Number of		11. Nature
	Conversion		Execution Date, if		on	Num		and Expirati		Amou		Derivative		Ownership	
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code		of		(Month/Day	/Year)	Unde	rlying	Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Deriv	ative			Secur	rities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership
	Derivative					Secur	rities			(Instr	. 3 and		Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)
	Security					Acqu	ired			4)			Following	Direct (D)	
						(A) o	r						Reported	or Indirect	
						Dispo	osed						Transaction(s)	(I)	
						of (D	)						(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
						(Instr	. 3,								
						4, and	15)								
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								Exercisable	Date		of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)				Shares				

## **Reporting Owners**

		Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / A	orting Owner Name / Address		10% Owner	Officer	Other				
BACKAUS MARJORIE 301 VELOCITY WAY, 5T FOSTER CITY, CA 94404				Chief Business Officer					

## Signatures

/s/ Marjorie Backaus	08/22/2003
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

<sup>\*</sup> If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

(1) Included 2,268 shares acquired under the Equinix Employee Stock Purchase Plan in July 2003.

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