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#### INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| (Print or Type Responses)  |   |  |  |   |  |   |   |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|---|--|---|---|--|--|
| Name and Address of Reporting Person *     Baack Sara                                      | Statemen  | 2. Date of Event Requiring<br>Statement (Month/Day/Yea               |  | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EQUINIX INC [EQIX]                |  |   |   |  |  |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O EQUINIX, INC., ONE LAGOON DRIVE (Street)                       |   | Issuer Dire  |  | (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify |  | Filed(Month/Day/Year)   |   |  |  |
| REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065   |   |  |  |   |  | Applicable I  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) X_Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |  |
| (City) (State) (Zip)   |   | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned               |  |   |  |   |   |  |  |
| 1.Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4)  |   | В  | Amount of Se<br>eneficially Ownstr. 4)   | ned   | 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)                   | 4. Nature of Indire<br>(Instr. 5)   | ect Beneficial Ownership  |  |  |
| Common Stock   |   | 8,   | 422  |   | D  |   |   |  |  |
| Persons who resp   |   |  |  |   | his form are no  | ot required to res  | spond   |  |  |
| Table II - Deriva  1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)                              |   | s Beneficia<br>rcisable<br>ion Date                                  | 3. Title and A Securities Un Security  | g., puts, calls, warr   | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of   | 5. Ownership<br>Form of<br>Derivative   | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 5)   |  |  |
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## **Reporting Owners**

|   | Relationships |              |                       |       |
|---|---------------|--------------|-----------------------|-------|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Director      | 10%<br>Owner | Officer               | Other |
| Baack Sara<br>C/O EQUINIX, INC.<br>ONE LAGOON DRIVE<br>REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065 |               |              | Chief Product Officer |       |

## Signatures

| Samantha Lagocki, POA           | 11/04/2019 |
|---------------------------------|------------|
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date       |

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- On February 16, 2017, the reporting person was granted performance restricted stock units, the vesting of which was subject to both continued service and the attainment of (1) certain AFFO, Revenue and EBITDA targets for 2017. The Compensation Committee certified the degree to which the targets were achieved, therefore 50% of the award vested on February 28, 2018, 25% vested on February 15, 2019 and the remaining 25% will on February 15, 2020, subject solely to continued service.
- (2) Restricted Stock Unit award expires upon reporting person's terminiation of service
- Vesting is dependent upon continuous active service as an employee, consultant or director of the Company or a subsidiary of the Company (Service) throughout the vesting (3) period. The Restricted Stock Units shall vest as follows: 33.33% of the RSUs vested on January 15, 2018 and an additional 33.33% of the RSUs vested on January 15, 2019 and the remaining 33.33% will vest on January 15, 2020.
- On February 27, 2018, the reporting person was granted performance restricted stock units, the vesting of which was subject to both continued service and the attainment of (4) certain AFFO, Revenue and EBITDA targets for 2018. The Compensation Committee certified the degree to which the targets were achieved, therefore 50% of the award vested on February 25, 2019, 25% will vest on February 15, 2020 and the remaining 25% will on February 15, 2021, subject solely to continued service.
- Vesting is dependent upon continuous active service as an employee, consultant or director of the Company or a subsidiary of the Company (Service) throughout the vesting (5) period. The Restricted Stock Units shall vest as follows: 33.33% of the RSUs vested on January 15, 2019 and an additional 33.33% of the RSUs will each vest on January 15, 2020 and January 15, 2021.
- Vesting is dependent upon continuous active service as an employee, consultant or director of the Company or a subsidiary of the Company (Service) throughout the vesting (6) period. The Restricted Stock Units shall vest as follows: 33.33% of the RSUs vesting on January 15, 2020 and an additional 33.33% of the RSUs vesting on January 15, 2021 and January 15, 2022.
- Vesting is dependent upon continuous active service as an employee, consultant or director of the Company or a subsidiary of the Company (Service) throughout the vesting (7) period. The Restricted Stock Units shall vest as follows: 16.67% of the RSUs vesting on March 1, 2020 and an additional 16.67% of the RSUs vesting every 6 months thereafter until fully vested..

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Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of, Samantha Lagocki, Melanie Mock, Brandi Galvin Morandi, Billie Olson, Margaret Paige, Darrin B. Shor 1. execute for and on behalf of the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Equinix, Inc. (the "Company") Forms 3, 4 or 5 and in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Ex 2. do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete the execution of any such Forms 3, 4 or 5 and the timely filing of such for 3. take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary and proper to be done in the ex This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in UNITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 31 day of July, 2015.

/s/ Sara Baack

Signature

Sara Baack Print Name