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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Baack Sara          |  | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EQUINIX INC [EQIX] |                    |        |   |                  |                       | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner   |  |                         |
|---|--|--|--------------------|--------|---|------------------|-----------------------|--|--|-------------------------|
| (Last) (First) (Middle)<br>C/O EQUINIX, INC, ONE LAGOON DRIVE |  | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/18/2020    |                    |        |   |                  |                       | X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Chief Product Officer  |  |                         |
| (Street) REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065                               |  | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)           |                    |        |   |                  | ar) -                 | 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) (S   | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |  |                    |        |   |                  |                       |  |  |                         |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)                                | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year)                                       | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year)    | Code<br>(Instr. 8) |        | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |                  |                       | 5. Amount of Securities<br>Beneficially Owned Following<br>Reported Transaction(s)   | Form:  | Beneficial              |
|   |  |  | Code               | v      | Amount  | (A)<br>or<br>(D) | Price                 | (Instr. 3 and 4)   | Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock  | 02/18/2020   |  | M                  |        | 990   | A                | \$ 0                  | 10,556 (1)   | D  |                         |
| Common Stock  | 02/18/2020   |  | M                  |        | 976   | A                | \$ 0                  | 11,532   | D  |                         |
| Common Stock  | 02/19/2020   |  | S <sup>(2)</sup>   |        | 200   | D                | \$<br>641.935<br>(3)  | 11,332   | D  |                         |
| Common Stock  | 02/19/2020   |  | S <sup>(2)</sup>   |        | 102   | D                | \$<br>644.4951<br>(4) | 11,230   | D  |                         |
| Common Stock  | 02/19/2020   |  | S <sup>(2)</sup>   |        | 237   | D                | \$<br>645.2187        | 10,993   | D  |                         |
| Common Stock  | 02/19/2020   |  | S <sup>(2)</sup>   |        | 200   | D                | \$ 647.22<br>(6)      | 10,793   | D  |                         |
| Common Stock  | 02/19/2020   |  | S <sup>(2)</sup>   |        | 200   | D                | \$<br>648.305<br>(7)  | 10,593   | D  |                         |
| Reminder: Report on a separa                                  | ite line for each class of securiti  | es beneficially own  | ed directly        | or inc | lirectly.   |                  |                       |  |  |                         |
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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 3A. Deemed 6. Date Exercisable 7. Title and Amount 8. Price of 9. Number of 11. Nature 3. Transaction Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, if Transaction Number and Expiration Date of Underlying Derivative Derivative Ownership of Indirect Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) any Code of (Month/Day/Year) Securities Security Securities Form of Beneficial (Instr. 3) (Instr. 5) Beneficially Ownership Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Derivative (Instr. 3 and 4) Derivative Securities Derivative Owned (Instr. 4) Security: Security Acquired Following Direct (D) (A) or Reported or Indirect Transaction(s) Disposed (I) (Instr. 4) of (D) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Amount Date Expiration Title Number Exercisable Date of Code V (A) (D) Shares Restricted Common (8) <u>(9)</u> 990 Stock \$0 02/18/2020 M 990 \$0 0 D Stock Units Restricted Common (10) <u>(9)</u> Stock \$0 02/18/2020 M 976 976 \$0 976 D Stock Units

## **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           | 02/20/2020 |
|---------------------------------|------------|
| **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 60 shares acquired under the Equinix, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on February 14, 2020.
- (2) Shares were sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 Trading Plan in order to raise funds to pay the required withholding tax pursuant to the vesting of RSUs.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$641.78 to \$642.09, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Equinix, Inc, any security holder of Equinix Inc, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in footnotes 3 through 9 to this Form 4.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$643.90 to \$644.90 inclusive.
- (5) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$644.93 to \$645.55 inclusive.
- (6) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$646.86 to \$647.58 inclusive.
- (7) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$647.94 to \$648.67 inclusive.
- 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 certain
- (8) 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% will vest on February 15, 2019 and the remaining 25% will on February 15, 2020, subject solely to continued service.
- (9) Restricted Stock Unit award expires upon reporting person's termination of services.
  - 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 certain
- (10) 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.

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