## FORM 4

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* FERRIS PETER				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) (Middle) ONE LAGOON DRIVE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/21/2012							X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Chief Sales Officer							
(Street) REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065				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							
(City)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui							ired,	ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			2A. Deemed Execution D any (Month/Day		f Code (Inst	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquire or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		D)			/		Owner Form: Direct	rship of I Ben (CD) Ow	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
				C	ode	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price						irect (Ins	tr. 4)		
Common Stock 0.			02/21/2012				S		30,000	D	\$ 133.4853 ( <u>1)</u>	3 22,	22,423			D		
Common Stock 02/22/2			02/22/2012		1	М		6,000	A :	\$ 0	28,	28,423			D			
Common Stock 0.		02/23/2012			S	(2)		2,802		\$ 133.462′ ( <u>3)</u>	7 25,	25,621		D				
Common Stock											276			I	for chi	stodian		
Reminder: Ro	eport on a se	parate line for eac	h class of securities	beneficiall	y owne	d direct		Per in t	sons wh	are no		d to r	espond ι	f informati inless the			SEC 147	4 (9-02)
			Table II	- Derivati					Disposed o			Own	ed					
Derivative Conversion Date		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea		Transaction De Code Se (Instr. 8) Ac Di		ecuritie ecuritie ecquirectisposec instr. 3,	erivative		and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		of Ur Secur	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			9. Number Derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported	y D Se D	wnership orm of erivative ecurity: rirect (D) r Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code V (A)		(D)		ate tercisable	Expirat Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction (Instr. 4)		) nstr. 4)	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	02/21/2012		A	1	2,000			<u>(4)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	,	nmon ock	12,000	\$ 0	12,000	)	D	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	02/22/2012		М			6,000		<u>(4)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	1	nmon	6,000	\$ 0	6,000		D	

### **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
FERRIS PETER ONE LAGOON DRIVE REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065			Chief Sales Officer					

#### **Signatures**

Darrin B. Short, Attorney-in-Fact	02/23/2012		
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).
  - The average price of \$133.4853 consists of the following blocks of shares: 300 shares sold at \$133.295, 100 at \$133.32, 200 at \$133.33, 500 at \$133.34, 300 at \$133.35, 1353 at \$133.36, 900 at \$133.37, 700 at \$133.38, 100 at \$133.382, 5100 at \$133.40, 500 at \$133.42, 200 at \$133.421, 400 at \$133.425, 600 at \$133.43, 100 at \$133.44, 100 at \$133.4413, 500 at \$133.445,
- (1) 5500 at \$133.45, 700 at \$133.46, 300 at \$133.47, 600 at \$133.48, 800 at \$133.49, 400 at \$133.50, 700 at \$133.51, 100 at \$133.52, 200 at \$133.53, 433 at \$133.54, 100 at \$133.55, 300 at \$133.56, 100 at \$133.58, 400 at \$133.58, 400 at \$133.59, 300 at \$133.60, 500 at \$133.61, 2712 at \$133.64, 900 at \$133.65, 1600 at \$133.66, 500 at \$133.67, 400 at \$133.68, 402 at \$133.69 and 100 at \$133.70.
- (2) Shares were sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 Plan in order to raise funds to pay the required withholding tax pursuant to the vesting of RSUs.
- The average price of \$133.4627 consists of the following blocks of shares: 100 shares sold at \$132.88, 100 at \$133.13, 100 at \$133.16, 100 at \$133.18, 100 at \$133.30, 300 at \$133.36, 100 (3) at \$133.37, 600 at \$133.40, 100 at \$133.41, 100 at \$133.42, 100 at \$133.43, 100 at \$133.44, 100 at \$133.46, 100 at \$133.53, 100 at \$133.60, 100 at \$133.70, 100 at \$133.70, 100 at \$133.70, 100 at \$133.81, 100 at \$133.85, 100
- On February 23, 2011, the reporting person was granted performance restricted stock units, the vesting of which was subject to both continued service and the attainment of certain revenue (4) and EBITDA targets for 2011. These targets were achieved to the maximum extent, therefore 50% of the award vested on February 22, 2012, with 25% additional units scheduled to vest on each of February 15, 2013 and February 15, 2014, subject solely to continued service.
- (5) Restricted stock unit award expires upon reporting person's termination of employment.

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