FORM 4

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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 BACKAUS MARJO	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				
301 VELOCITY W.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2006						X_ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chief Business Officer				
(Street) FOSTER CITY, CA 94404			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		of (D)	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form:	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		02/23/2006		M		1,500	A	\$ 3.25	40,175 (1)	D	
Common Stock		02/23/2006		M		1,000	A	\$ 22.4	41,175	D	
Common Stock		02/23/2006		S ⁽²⁾		2,500	D	\$ 48.9	38,675	D	
Common Stock		02/24/2006		M		4,000	A	\$ 3.25	42,675	D	
Common Stock		02/24/2006		S ⁽²⁾		4,000	D	\$ 49.9	38,675	D	
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained. SEC 1474 (9-02)											

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Security	Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code	tion	of Deri Secu Acq (A) Disp of (I	sposed (D) str. 3, 4,		te	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security		Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.25	02/23/2006		M			1,500	01/01/2006	03/05/2013	Common Stock	1,500	\$ 0	12,400	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.4	02/23/2006		M			1,000	(3)	04/21/2012	Common Stock	1,000	\$ 0	3,688	D	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.25	02/24/2006		M			4,000	01/01/2006	03/05/2013	Common Stock	4,000	\$ 0	8,400	D	

Reporting Owners

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	Director 10% Owner Officer		Other					
BACKAUS MARJORIE 301 VELOCITY WAY FOSTER CITY, CA 94404			Chief Business Officer						

Signatures

Monica Volta, Attorney-in-Fact	02/27/2006
**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 558 shares acquired on February 14, 2006 pursuant to the issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b3.
- (2) Shares sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 Trading Plan.
- (3) Option vests and becomes exercisable in 48 monthly installments from April 22, 2002.

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