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

Name and Address of Reporting Person * Schwartz Eric				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EQUINIX INC [EQIX]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
ONE LAGOON DRIVE (Middle)				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/17/2017							X_ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President, Equinix EMEA				
(Street)				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)	OD CITY, ((State)	(Zip)			T. 11. T	B.T.	D. J. W.		••		1.C. D.	6.1.11.0	.1	
1 Title of Se	enrity		2. Transaction	2A. Deei	ned	3. Transa					quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned A) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially 6. 7. Natur				7. Nature
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	if Code (Instr. 8)	CHOII	on 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)			Ownership Form:	of Indirect Beneficial		
				(Month/Day/Year)	r) Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock		02/17/2017			M		2,326	A	\$ 0	5,662			D	
Common	Stock		02/21/2017			S ⁽¹⁾		513	D	\$ 369.6425 (2)	5,149			D	
Common	Stock		02/21/2017			S ⁽¹⁾		1,313	D	\$ 370.6592 (3)	2 3,836			D	
Common	Stock		02/21/2017			S ⁽¹⁾		400	D	\$ 371.885 (4)	3,436			D	
Common	Stock		02/21/2017			S ⁽¹⁾		100	D	\$ 373.52	3,336			D	
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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion Date or Exercise (Month/Day/Your Derivative Security			ar) (Instr. 8) A or (I		Securities Acquired (A or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, a	curities quired (A) Disposed of		Month/Day/Year)		derlying ties 3 and 4)	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction	Form of Derivat Security Direct (or India)	Ownersh (y: (Instr. 4) (D)
				Code	V	(A) (D		nte tercisable	Expirat Date	tion Title	Amou or Numb of Shares	er	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4	+)

Common

Stock

Common

Stock

4,652

2,326

\$0

\$0

4,652

2,326

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<u>(6)</u>

<u>(6)</u>

<u>(5)</u>

<u>(5)</u>

Reporting Owners

\$0

\$0

02/17/2017

02/17/2017

Restricted

Stock

Units Restricted

Stock

Units

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Schwartz Eric ONE LAGOON DRIVE REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065			President, Equinix EMEA				

A

M

4,652

2,326

Signatures

Samantha Lagocki, POA	02/22/2017
**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) Shares were sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 Trading Plan
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$369.20 to \$370.20, inclusive. The reporting person (2) 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 and 4 to this Form 4.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$370.34 to \$371.20 inclusive.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$371.43 to \$372.35 inclusive.
- On March 16, 2016, the reporting person was granted performance restricted stock units, the vesting of which was subject to both continued service and the attainment of certain AFFO,
- (5) Revenue and EBITDA targets for 2016. The Compensation Committee certified the degree to which the targets were achieved, therefore 50% of the award vested on February 17, 2017, 25% will vest on February 15, 2018 and the remaining 25% will on February 15, 2019, subject solely to continued service.
- (6) Restricted stock unit award expires upon reporting person's termination of employment.

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