FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Whittle John						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FORTINET INC [ FTNT ]								ck all applic Director	,		10% Ov	vner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O FORTINET, INC. 1090 KIFER ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/08/2012								X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  VP & General Counsel					
(Street) SUNNY (City)		A state)	94086 (Zip)		_ 4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					6. In Line)	lividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Ta	ble I - No	n-Der	ivativ	/e Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed of	, or Ben	eficially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans Date (Month/				action 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)			and 5) Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock			08/	10/20	/2012		M <sup>(1)</sup>		1,042	1,042 A \$		1,042			D		
Common Stock			08/	10/20	/2012		S <sup>(1)</sup>		1,042 D		\$24.54	0			D			
			Table II -								osed of, onvertib			Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day/	ate,	4. Transa Code (l 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		e of Securities		ies g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	able	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transacti (Instr. 4)	on(s)		
Restricted Stock Units	\$0 <sup>(2)</sup>	08/08/2012			A		10,000		(3)		(3)	Common Stock	10,000	\$0	10,00	0	D	
Non- qualified Stock Option (right to	\$8.43	08/10/2012			M <sup>(1)</sup>			1,042	(4)		02/10/2017	Common Stock	1,042	\$0	18,75	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- $1. \ The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on June 6, 2011.$
- 2. Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- 3. 25% of the RSUs vest on August 1, 2013, then the remaining 75% of the RSUs vest in equal installments on each quarterly anniversary thereafter, until such time as the RSUs are 100% vested, subject to the continuing employment of the Reporting Person on each vesting date. Shares of the Issuer's common stock will be delivered to the Reporting Person upon vesting.
- 4. 1/4 of the shares subject to the option vested on February 10, 2011 and 1/48 of the shares subject to the option vest monthly thereafter.

## Remarks:

/s/ Robert Turner, by power of attorney

08/10/2012

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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