Instruction 1(b)

FORM 4

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Echerd Margaret</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EXTREME NETWORKS INC [ EXTR ]								eck all appli Direct	cable) or	g Pers	on(s) to Issu 10% Ow	ner
(Last) 7 CYPR	Last) (First) (Middle) CYPRESS COURT						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/04/2011								Officer (give title Other (speci below) UP Corporate Controller_			Jecny
(Street) LOS ALTOS CA 94022  (City) (State) (Zip)					_	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  ative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefi								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tal	ole I - Nor	า-Deri	ivativ	e Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Disp	osed o	f, or Bei	neficial	ly Owned	l			
D				Date	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			Benefic Owned	es ially Following	Form (D) or	: Direct I r Indirect E str. 4) (	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) oi (D)	Price	Transac	Reported Transaction(s) Instr. 3 and 4)		1	Instr. 4)
Common Stock 11/0-					04/201	/2011		A <sup>(1)</sup>		10,000	10,000 A		13	3,000		D		
			Table II -						uired, D s, option					Owned		•		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day		Date,	4. Transa Code ( 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisabl Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		of Securiti		ties g Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$2.98	11/04/2011			A		25,000		09/16/2012	(2)	11/04/2018	Common Stock	25,000	\$2.98	25,00	00	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Vesting 33/33/34 over 3 years on the anniversary of the promotion date.
- 2. 1/4 Vest 1 year cliff; 1/48th vest per month for 36 months from promotion date.

Margaret Echerd

11/07/2011

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
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