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* CARINALLI CHARLES					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol EXTREME NETWORKS INC [EXTR]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director			10% Owne	er
				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2004								Officer (give title	below)		Other (spe	cify below)	
(Street) SANTA CLARA C.	Street) SANTA CLARA CA 95051			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
			T	able I - I	Non-Der	ivative Sec	urities Ac	quired, Dis	sposed of	f, or Benefic	cially Ow	ned					
2. The or county (mon o)			2. Transact Date (Month/Day	Year) Execu	Year) if any		Code (Instr. 8) 3, 4 and				Amount of Securiti neficially Owned F ported Transaction	ollowing D	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.		
						(Monti	h/Day/Year) C	Code V	Amount	(4	(A) or (D)	Price (In	nstr. 3 and 4)				4)
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																
Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion Date	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transac (Instr. 8)	tion Code	n Code 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) o Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4		rities Underlying and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Fc (D	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	County			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	n(s)		
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$6.96	12/01/2004		A		30,000		12/01/2005	12/01/2014	Common Stock		30,000	\$0	30,000		D	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Charles P. Carinalli

** Signature of Reporting Person

12/02/2004

Date

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

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- I, Charles Carinalli, in my capacity as an officer and/or director of Extreme Networks, Inc. (the "Company") hereby constitute and appoint each of William Slakey, Rebecca Guerra, Megan Buckley, J. Howard Clowes and Elizabeth O'Callahan, individually and with full power of substitution, my true and lawful Attorney-in-Fact, in my name and on my behalf to,:
- 1. prepare, execute, deliver and file with the United States
 Securities and Exchange Commission, any national securities exchange
 and Extreme Networks, Inc. (the "Company") any and all reports (including
 any amendment thereto) of the undersigned required or considered advisable
 under Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended
 (the "Exchange Act"), and the rules and regulations thereunder, with
 respect to the equity securities of the Company, including Form 3
 (Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership of Securities), Form 4
 (Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership), and Form 5 (Annual
 Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership); and
- 2. seek or obtain, as my representative and on my behalf, information on transactions in the Company's equity securities from any third party, including the Company, brokers, dealers, employee benefit plan administrators and trustees, and I hereby authorize any such third party to release any such information to the Attorney-in-Fact.

I acknowledge that:

- 1. this Limited Power of Attorney authorizes, but does not require, the Attorney-in-Fact to act at his or her discretion on information provided, without independent verification of such information;
- 2. any documents prepared and/or executed by the Attorney-in-Fact on my behalf, pursuant to this Limited Power of Attorney, will be in a form and will contain such information as the Attorney-in-Fact, in his or her discretion, deems necessary or desirable;
- 3. neither the Company nor the Attorney-in-Fact assumes any liability for my responsibility to comply with the requirements of Section 16 of the Exchange Act, any of my liability for any failure to comply with such requirements, or any of my liability for disgorgement of profits under Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act; and
- 4. this Limited Power of Attorney does not relieve me from responsibility for compliance with my obligations under Section
 16 of the Exchange Act, including, without, limitation, the reporting requirements under Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act.
- I hereby grant to each such Attorney-in-Fact the full power and authority to do and perform any and every act requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers granted herein, as fully to all intents and purposes as I might do if personally present. I hereby shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers granted herein. I hereby acknowledge that the foregoing Attorneys-in-Fact, in serving in such capacity at my request, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of my responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until I am no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to my holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked in a signed writing delivered to the VP General Counsel

of the Company.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 29th day of September, 2004.

Signature: /s/ Charles P. Carinalli Print Name: Charles P. Carinalli