FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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## Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person Palo Alto Networks Inc [ PANW ] MCLAUGHLIN MARK D Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify X below) below) (Last) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) (First) 12/01/2017 Chief Executive Officer C/O PALO ALTO NETWORKS INC. 3000 TANNERY WAY 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) (Street) Form filed by One Reporting Person 95054 SANTA CLARA CA Form filed by More than One Reporting (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of **Execution Date** Transaction Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Code (Instr. Beneficially 8) Owned Following Reported (Instr. 4) (A) or (D) Price Code Amount (Instr. 3 and 4) F(1) Common Stock 12/01/2017 \$143.77 323,901(2) D 26,090 D See Common Stock 125,000 footnote(3) See Common Stock 55,000 footnote(4) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 1 Title of 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and 8. Price of 9. Number of 10 11 Nature Execution Date of Indirect Derivative Conversion Transaction Expiration Date Amount of Ownership derivative Derivative (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Security or Exercise if any Code (Instr. (Month/Day/Year) Securities Security Securities Form: Beneficial (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) Securities Underlying (Instr. 5) Beneficially Direct (D) Derivative (Instr. 4) Acquired Derivative Owned or Indirect (A) or Disposed (I) (Instr. 4) Security Security (Instr. 3 Following and 4) Reported of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) and 5) Amount

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. This transaction is not a sale of shares by the Reporting Person. Instead, this represents shares that have been withheld by the Issuer to satisfy its income tax and withholding and remittance obligations in connection with the vesting and net settlement of previously reported restricted stock units (RSUs).

Exercisable

(A) (D) Expiration

Title

Shares

- 2. Includes shares acquired by the Reporting Person pursuant to the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- 3. Shares are held by the McLaughlin GRAT I, for which the Reporting Person serves as a trustee.
- 4. Shares are held by the McLaughlin GRAT II, for which the Reporting Person serves as a trustee.

## Remarks:

/s/ Jeff True, Attorney-in-Fact for Mark D. McLaughlin

12/05/2017

\*\* 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).
- \*\* 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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