Xie Michael Form 4 August 22, 2012

## FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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obligations may continue. See Instruction

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Xie Michael			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol FORTINET INC [FTNT]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
C/O FORTINET, INC., 1090 KIFER ROAD		1090 KIFER	(Month/Day/Year) 08/21/2012	_X_ Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  VP, Engineering & CTO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
SUNNYVAL	E, CA 940	086	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit ord Dispos (Instr. 3, 4)	ed of	5) Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	08/21/2012		S <u>(1)</u>	50,000 (2)	D	\$ 25.3351 (3)	6,748,000	D	
Common Stock							2,341,055	I	See footnote (4)
Common Stock							2,341,055	I	See footnote (5)
Common							1,317,890	I	See

footnote

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# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)
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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares	

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Xie Michael C/O FORTINET, INC. 1090 KIFER ROAD SUNNYVALE, CA 94086	X		VP, Engineering & CTO				

#### **Signatures**

/s/ John Whittle, by power of attorney 08/22/2012

\*\*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) The sales reported on this row were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on February 13, 2012.
- (2) Represents the aggregate of sales effected on the same day at different prices.
- (3) Represents the weighted average sales price per share. The shares sold at prices ranging from \$25.13 to \$25.44 per share. Full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price shall be provided upon request to the staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange

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Commission, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer.

- (4) Shares held directly by the Michael Xie Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated February 9, 2011, for which the Reporting Person serves as a trustee.
- (5) Shares held directly by the Danke Wu Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dated February 9, 2011, for which the Reporting Person serves as a trustee.
- (6) Shares held directly by the 2010 K.A. Family Trust dated May 3, 2010, for which the Reporting Person serves as a trustee.

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