

BACKAUS MARJORIE  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BACKAUS MARJORIE**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
301 VELOCITY WAY  
  
(Street)

FOSTER CITY, CA 94404

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**EQUINIX INC [EQIX]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**07/01/2008**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**Chief Business Officer**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price   |
| Common Stock                    | 07/01/2008                           |  | M                              |   | 3,875   | A  | \$ 0  |
| Common Stock                    | 07/02/2008                           |  | S <sup>(3)</sup>               |   | 5,338   | D  | \$ 85.9261  |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | <sup>(4)</sup>  |

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

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

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|---|
| Restricted Stock                           | \$ 0   | 07/01/2008                           |  | M                              | 3,875   | (1) (2)  | Common Stock  | 3,875   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                | Relationships |           |                        |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                | Other |
| BACKAUS MARJORIE<br>301 VELOCITY WAY<br>FOSTER CITY, CA 94404 |               |           | Chief Business Officer |       |

## Signatures

Darrin B. Short,  
Attorney-in-Fact

07/03/2008

\_\_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) Vests incrementally upon attainment of certain time-based and stock appreciation targets.
- (2) Restricted stock award expires upon reporting person's termination of employment.
- (3) Shares sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 Trading Plan.

The average price of \$85.9261 consists of the following blocks of shares: 200 shares sold at \$84.75, 100 at \$84.95, 144 at \$85.80, 192 at \$85.84, 108 at \$85.94, 200 at \$86.32, 200 at \$86.80, 100 at \$83.91, 200 at \$84.74, 173 at \$85.80, 200 at \$85.81, 100 at \$85.90, 100 at \$85.93, 100 at \$85.98, 200 at \$86.00, 200 at \$86.28, 97 at \$86.80, 200 at \$86.84, 103 at \$87.00, 100 at \$84.41, 200 at \$84.75, 130 at \$85.80, 100 at \$85.97, 200 at \$85.99, 100 at \$86.02, 100 at \$86.07, 100 at \$86.16, 200 at \$86.78, 100 at \$86.79, 100 at \$86.88, 100 at \$84.58, 91 at \$85.82, 100 at \$85.84, 100 at \$85.88, 100 at \$85.91, 100 at \$85.93, 100 at \$86.28, 100 at \$86.57, 100 at \$86.72 and 100 at \$86.88.

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