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

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Schwartz Eric Issuer Symbol **EQUINIX INC [EQIX]** (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify ONE LAGOON WAY 02/15/2011 below) President, Equinix Europe (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065 Person

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(City)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi or Dispos (Instr. 3,	sed of	` '	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	02/15/2011		M	6,875	A	\$ 0	18,011 (1)	D			
Common Stock	02/16/2011		S(2)	5,450	D	\$ 91.4542 (3)	12,561	D			

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)	Code			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Instr
			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	02/15/2011	M		2,375	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	2,375	\$
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	02/15/2011	M		4,500	<u>(6)</u>	(5)	Common Stock	4,500	\$

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Schwartz Eric ONE LAGOON WAY REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065

President, Equinix Europe

Signatures

Darrin B. Short, Attorney-in-Fact

**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) Includes 488 shares acquired under the Equinix, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on February 14, 2011.
- (2) Shares sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 Trading Plan.

The average price of \$91.4542 consists of the following blocks of shares: 100 shares sold at \$90.75, 100 at \$90.88, 100 at \$90.99, 100 at \$91.05, 100 at \$91.13, 100 at \$91.16, 3 at \$91.18, 100 at \$91.27, 100 at \$91.28, 400 at \$91.30, 300 at \$91.31, 100 at \$91.35, 500 at \$91.41, 297 at \$91.42, 100 at \$91.43, 400 at \$91.48, 100 at \$91.49, 500 at \$91.54, 100 at \$91.60, 100 at \$91.63, 950 at \$91.64, 100 at

\$91.65, 200 at \$91.66, 100 at \$91.71, 300 at \$91.73 and 100 at \$91.74

On January 31, 2008, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units, the vesting of which was subject to both continued service and the attainment of certain revenue and EBITDA targets for 2008. These targets were achieved, therefore 50% of the award vested on February 13, 2009, with 25% additional units scheduled to vest on each of February 15, 2010 and February 15, 2011, subject solely to continued service.

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- (5) Restricted stock unit award expires upon reporting person's termination of employment.
- On March 9, 2009, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units, the vesting of which was subject to both continued service and the attainment of certain revenue and EBITDA targets for 2009. These targets were achieved to the maximum extent, therefore 50% of the award vested on 2/12/10, with 25% additional units scheduled to vest on each of February 15, 2011 and February 15, 2012, subject solely to continued service.

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