

Hsieh Ming  
Form 4  
October 12, 2010

**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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See Instruction  
1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Hsieh Ming

(Last) (First) (Middle)

639 NORTH ROSEMEAD BLVD.,  
BUILDING 1

(Street)

PASADENA, CA 91107

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
Cogent, Inc. [COGT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)

08/31/2010

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 Executive 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)
Common Stock	08/31/2010		G <sup>(1)</sup>	3,000,000	D \$ 0	12,259,965	D
Common Stock	10/08/2010		S <sup>(2)</sup>	12,259,965	D (2) \$ 10.5	0	D
Common Stock	10/08/2010		S <sup>(2)</sup>	10,139,128	D (2) \$ 10.5	0	I
	10/08/2010		S <sup>(2)</sup>	5,250,000		0	I

By the  
Ming Hsieh  
Revocable  
Family  
Trust dtd  
11/01/2006

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Common Stock					D (2)	\$ 10.5				By the Ming Hsieh Revocable Family Trust dtd 11/02/2006
Common Stock	10/08/2010		S(2)	1,860,436	D (2)	\$ 10.5	0		I	By the Tiffany Hsieh Irrevocable Trust
Common Stock	10/08/2010		S(2)	1,860,436	D (2)	\$ 10.5	0		I	By the Pauline Hsieh Irrevocable Trust

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 of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Hsieh Ming 639 NORTH ROSEMEAD BLVD., BUILDING 1 PASADENA, CA 91107	X		Chief Executive Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ Paul Kim,  
Attorney-in-Fact

10/08/2010

\_\_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) Gift to the Hsieh Family Foundation.
- (2) Disposed of pursuant to the terms of the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of August 29, 2010, by and among 3M Company, Ventura Acquisition Corporation and Cogent, Inc. in exchange for \$10.50 per share in cash.

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