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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SEMMOTO SACHIO					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NETWORK APPLIANCE INC [NTAP]							(Ch	Relationship leck all appl X Direct	,		erson(s) to Is			
(Last)	,	irst) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/15/2006							Officer (give title below)		Other (below)	specify				
EACCES 2-10-1 T	SS LTD. ORANOM	ON			4. If A	men	ıdme	nt, Date	of Origina	l File	d (Month/	Day/Yea	r)	Lin	•				
(Street) MINATO	O-KU, M	0	105-00	01								X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(S	tate) (Zip)																
		Tab	le I - N	lon-Deri	vative \$	Sec	urit	ies Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	of, or I	3ene	eficia	lly Owne	d			
Date			2. Transac Date (Month/Da		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)						Securit Benefic Owned	ies cially	Fori (D) (Indi	m: Direct or irect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A (D	or	Price			(Ins	str. 4) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock			06/15/2006				M		15,00	00 .	A	\$20.6	51 15	5,000	D				
Common Stock 06/15				06/15/2	2006	006		М		15,000		A	\$22.6	52 30	30,000		D		
		Т	able II	- Deriva (e.g., p					uired, D	•		•			/ Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	if any	emed ion Date, /Day/Year)	4. Transact Code (In 8)		of Der Sec Acq (A) Disp	posed D) tr. 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) Control of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instant 4)			etr. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: y Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab		xpiration ate	Title	or Nu of	ımber					
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$20.61	06/15/2006			M			15,000	(1)	0:	9/01/2014	Commo Stock	n 15	5,000	\$0	0		D	
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$22.62	06/15/2006			M			15,000	(1)	09	9/01/2013	Commo Stock	n 15	5,000	\$0	0		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Option is immediately exercisable, but any shares purchased under the option will be subject to repurchase by the Company at the option exercise price paid per share, upon the Optionee's cessation of Board service prior to vesting in those shares. The shares will vest upon the Optionee's continuation in Board service through the day immediately preceding the next Annual Stockholders Meeting following the grant date.

By: Janice Mahoney by Power
of Attorney For: Sachio
Semmoto
06/16/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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