## FORM 4

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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     VALENTINE DONALD T						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NetApp, Inc. [ NTAP ]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle)						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/28/2009									er (give title		r (specify		
SEQUOIA CAPITAL 3000 SAND HILL ROAD					4. If /	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street) MENLO PARK CA 94025															X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person				
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Table I - Non-Deriva  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye			on 2 (Year) if	n 2A. Deemed Execution Date,			3. 4. Securi Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ties Acquired (A) of Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		5. Amo Securi Benefi Owned	ount of ties cially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)			
Common Stock				09/28/20	)09				M		40,000	Α	\$16.6	57 64	12,000	I	by Trust <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock 0				09/28/20	)09			M		15,000	A	\$10.5	51 65	57,000	I	by Trust <sup>(1)</sup>			
Common Stock 09/28				09/28/20	)09	)9			M		15,000	A	\$9.8		2,000	I	by Trust <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock 09/28/200				009	9		S		70,000	D	\$26.3144 60		02,000	I	by Trust <sup>(1)</sup>				
		Т	able	II - Deriva (e.g., p							oosed of converti			y Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Exec if any	Deemed ution Date, / th/Day/Year)	4. Transac Code (li 8)				6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/)		ate	7. Title ar Amount of Securities Underlyin Derivative Security ( and 4)	of s ng e	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ıble	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	<b>\$</b> 9.8	09/28/2009			M			15,000	(2)		08/28/2012	Common Stock	15,000	\$0	0	D			
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$10.51	09/28/2009			М			15,000	(2)		10/17/2011	Common Stock	15,000	\$0	0	D			
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$16.657	09/28/2009			М			40,000	(2)		10/25/2009	Common Stock	40,000	\$0	0	D			

## Explanation of Responses:

2. 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: Donald T. 09/30/2009 Valentine

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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