

Gault Robert J
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Gault Robert J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
EXTREME NETWORKS INC
[EXTR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
6480 VIA DEL ORO

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
08/29/2018

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP Worldwide Sales Services

SAN JOSE, CA 95119

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | (A) or (D) | Code V Amount (D) Price | | | |

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 | 2. Conversion or Exercise | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any | 4. Transaction Code | 5. Number of Derivative Securities | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
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| (Instr. 3) | Price of Derivative Security | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title |
|---|------------------------------------|------------------|------------|--|------|---|--------|-----|---------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 6.4 | 08/29/2018 | 08/29/2018 | A | | | 95,700 | | 08/31/2019 ⁽¹⁾ | 08/29/2025 | Common Stock |
| Performance Shares | \$ 0 | 08/29/2018 | 08/29/2018 | A | | | 40,300 | | 08/31/2019 ⁽²⁾ | 08/31/2021 | Common Stock |
| RSU Award | \$ 0 | 08/29/2018 | 08/29/2018 | A | | | 40,300 | | 08/31/2019 ⁽⁴⁾ | 08/31/2021 | Common Stock |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Gault Robert J 6480 VIA DEL ORO SAN JOSE, CA 95119 | | | EVP Worldwide Sales Services | |

Signatures

Quentin Wright, Power of
Attorney

08/31/2018

__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).

Performance Options will be earned if EXTR shares reach \$10.00 per share for 30 consecutive trading days after August 31st 2018.

(1) Earned options vest as to 1/3 on 8/31/2019 and 1/12 each quarter thereafter, provided, however, that options earned after the one-year anniversary will vest ratably based on the time elapsed from 8/31/2018 until the hurdle date, and then quarterly thereafter. Shares will be cancelled if goal is not met by August 31st 2021.

Performance Stock Unit will be earned if GAAP combined earnings per share meets or exceeds \$0.20 over two consecutive quarters.

(2) Earned shares vest as to 1/3 on 8/31/2019 and 1/12 each quarter thereafter, provided, however, that shares earned after the one-year anniversary will vest ratably based on the time elapsed from 8/31/2018 until the hurdle date, and then quarterly thereafter. Shares will be cancelled if goal is not met by August 31st 2021.

(3) This is not an applicable reportable field for this type of grant.

(4) This time based RSU award vests as to 1/3 on 8/31/2019 and 1/12 each quarter thereafter.

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