#### **BACKAUS MARJORIE**

Form 4

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## FORM 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addre BACKAUS MA	*	ing Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol EQUINIX INC [EQIX]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Chech all applicable)			
301 VELOCITY WAY			(Month/Day/Year) 02/08/2006	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Chief Business Officer			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
FOSTER CITY, CA 94404			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secu	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactior Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/08/2006		Code V M	Amount 4,000	(D)	Price \$ 3.25	40,015	D	
Common Stock	02/08/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	4,000	D	\$ 48	36,015	D	
Common Stock	02/08/2006		M	3,875	A	\$ 0	39,890	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2006		S <u>(1)</u>	1,773	D	\$ 45.3932	38,117	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 Owner	ı
(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)			ative Expiration Date es (Month/Day/Year) d		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 3.25	02/08/2006		M		4,000	01/01/2006	03/06/2013	Common Stock	4,000
Restricted Stock	\$ 0	02/08/2006		M		3,875	02/08/2006	(2)	Common Stock	3,875

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BACKAUS MARJORIE 301 VELOCITY WAY FOSTER CITY, CA 94404

Chief Business Officer

### **Signatures**

Monica Volta, Attorney-in-Fact 02/10/2006

\*\*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) Shares sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 Trading Plan.
- (2) Expires upon reporting person's termination.

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