

NETWORK 1 TECHNOLOGIES INC
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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 *
 HOROWITZ COREY M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 NETWORK 1 TECHNOLOGIES INC [NTIP-NYSE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 6 BROOKLAWN DRIVE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 07/14/2016

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 CEO and Chairman

WESTPORT, CT 06880
 (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 Amount of Underlying Securities (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 | Amount or Number of Shares |
|------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|------------|---|------|---|---------|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| Restricted Stock Units | <u>1</u> | 07/14/2016 | | A | | | 750,000 | | <u>(2)</u> | <u>(2)</u> | Common Stock | 750,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| HOROWITZ COREY M 6 BROOKLAWN DRIVE WESTPORT, CT 06880 | X | X | CEO and Chairman | |

Signatures

By: /s/ Corey M.
Horowitz

07/18/2016

 **Signature of Reporting
Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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The restricted stock units (RSUs) were granted pursuant to an Employment Agreement, dated July 14, 2016, between the Company and

(1) Mr. Horowitz, for a five-year term beginning July 14, 2016 and ending July 14, 2021 (the "Term"). Each restricted stock unit represents a right to receive one share of common stock, subject to the vesting provisions described below.

The RSUs shall vest in three tranches and all RSUs shall be subject to continued employment through the applicable vesting date. The RSUs shall vest as follows: (i) 250,000 RSUs shall vest on July 14, 2018; (ii) 250,000 RSUs shall vest in equal annual installments over the remaining Term, beginning at any time after July 14, 2018 when and if the Company's Common Stock achieves a closing price of a minimum of \$3.25 per share for 20 consecutive trading days and (iii) 250,000 RSUs shall vest in equal annual installments over the remaining Term, starting at any time after July 14, 2018 when and if the Company's Common Stock achieves a closing price of a minimum of \$4.25 per share for 20 consecutive trading days. Further, all of the RSUs become fully vested upon a Change of Control, or upon the Company's termination of Mr. Horowitz's employment Other Than for Cause, or upon Mr. Horowitz's termination of his employment for Good Reason (all as defined in the Employment Agreement).

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