CHAPPLE JOHN

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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SECURITIES

See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **CHAPPLE JOHN**

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

F5 NETWORKS INC [FFIV]

X_ Director

10% Owner

401 ELLIOTT AVE. WEST

(Month/Day/Year)

11/01/2010

Other (specify Officer (give title below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

> _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SEATTLE, WA 98119

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of 6. Ownership Securities Form: Direct Beneficially Owned Following (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or

(Instr. 3 and 4) 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 Conversion Security or Exercise (Instr. 3) Price of

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

5. Number 4. Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

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Derivative (A) or Security Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

(A) (D) Date Exercisable Expiration

Date

Amoun or

Numbe of Shares

Title

Restricted

Common \$0 03/11/2011(1) 11/01/2020 Stock 11/01/2010 Α 2,089 2,089 Stock

Units

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CHAPPLE JOHN X 401 ELLIOTT AVE. WEST SEATTLE, WA 98119

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey A. Christianson by Power of 11/03/2010 Attorney

> **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).
- RSUs will fully vest on the day prior to the date of the annual shareholder meeting for fiscal 2010 to be held in 2011 if the non-employee director continues to serve as a director on that date.

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