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(Print or Type I	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person _ 2. Issue				er Name and Ticker or Trading				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to			
ONEILL TI				Symbol COGENT COMMUNICATIONS				Issuer			
			•					(Check all applicable)			
			GROUP INC [COI]								
(Last)	(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction				Director 10% Owner			
				Month/Day/Year)				XOfficer (give title Other (specify below) below)			
1015 31ST ST., NW			12/05/2005					VP Field Engineering			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
				led(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line)			
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WASHING	TON, DC 20007							Person	viole than one it	eporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Ac	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date			3.				5. Amount of	6. Ownership		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)		n Date, if	Code (D)				Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficia Indirect (I) Ownersh			
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/I	Day/Year)				Owned		Ownership		
Following (Instr. 4)							(Instr. 4)				
						(A)		Reported Transaction(s)			
						or	D '	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
common					Amount	(D)	Price				
stock	12/05/2005			S	1,000	D	\$6	22,962 <u>(1)</u>	D		
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common	12/05/2005			S	4,000	D	\$ 5.88	18,962 <u>(1)</u>	D		
stock							5.88				

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 (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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Option to purchase common stock	\$ 0					06/01/2005	09/08/2014	common stock	13,462
Option to purchase common stock	\$ 4.88 <u>(3)</u>	10/26/2005		А	10,000 (<u>3)</u>	10/26/2005 <u>(2)</u>	10/26/2015	common stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ONEILL TIMOTHY G 1015 31ST ST., NW WASHINGTON, DC 20007			VP Field Engineering				
Signatures							

Timothy O'Neill12/06/2005**Signature of
Reporting PersonDate

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).

This amount includes 18,962 shares owned by Mr. O'Neill as previously reported on various forms 4. Of this total 14,471 shares are
(1) vested and the remainder will vest by August 1, 2006. All share amounts reflect the 1-for-20 reverse stock split effected by the Company on March 23, 2005.

The options to acquire 13,462 shares of common stock reflect the forced conversion into common stock effected in February, 2005 and a
(2) 1-for-20 reverse stock split effected on March 23, 2005 concerning an option to acquire 350 shares of Series H preferred stock granted to Mr. O'Neill in 2003. Mr. O'Neill has previously reported this grant on a form 4.

On October 26, 2005 the Board of Directors of the Company approved a grant to Mr. O'Neill of options to purchase 10,000 shares of
 (3) common stock at a purchase price of \$4.88 per share. Options vest quarterly over 4 years in increments of 625 shares. Options are exercisable for a period of 10 years from date of grant.

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(4) Reflects options to purchase 13,462 and 10,000 shares of common stock owned by Mr. O'Neill.

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