COGENT COMMUNICATIONS GROUP INC

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Harrison R Reed			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COGENT COMMUNICATIONS GROUP INC [CCOI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) 1015 31ST S	(First) (Middle) ST ST. NW		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/16/2006	Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) President & COO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-E	Derivative	Secui	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) 7. Nature Ownership Indirect		
common stock	10/16/2006(1)		Code V M	Amount 4,000	(D)	Price \$ 6	4,000	D	
common stock	10/16/2006(1)		S	2,780	D	\$ 12.5	1,220	D	
common stock	10/16/2006(1)		S	100	D	\$ 12.51	1,120	D	
common stock	10/16/2006(1)		S	1,000	D	\$ 12.52	120	D	
common stock	10/16/2006(1)		S	20	D	\$ 12.53	100	D	

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common stock	10/16/2006 <u>(1)</u>	S	100	A	\$ 12.54	0	D
common stock	10/17/2006 <u>(1)</u>	M	4,000	A	\$ 6	4,000	D
common stock	10/17/2006 <u>(1)</u>	S	900	D	\$ 13	3,100	D
common stock	10/17/2006 <u>(1)</u>	S	100	D	\$ 13.03	3,000	D
common stock	10/17/2006 <u>(1)</u>	S	1,400	D	\$ 13.04	1,600	D
common stock	10/17/2006 <u>(1)</u>	S	1,100	D	\$ 13.05	500	D
common stock	10/17/2006 <u>(1)</u>	S	500	D	\$ 13.07	0	D

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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 Doof Derivative 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 Shares
Option to purchase common stock	\$ 6	10/16/2006(1)		M	4,000	07/14/2004	07/14/2014	common stock	4,000
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Harrison R Reed 1015 31ST ST. NW WASHINGTON, DC 20007

President & COO

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Signatures

R. Reed Harrison, III

**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) This exercise of options to acquire 4,000 shares of common stock at a price of \$6.00 per share and the sale of 4,000 shares of common stock was implemented pursuant to Mr. Harrison's structured sale plan (10b5-1 plan) adopted on December 8, 2005.
- (2) A portion of the securities owned by Mr. Harrison is not vested.

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