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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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See Instruction 1(b).

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hulett Matthew N

(First) (Middle)

C/O 2601 ELLIOTT **AVENUE. SUITE 1000**

(Street)

SEATTLE, WA 98121

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

REALNETWORKS INC [RNWK]

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

05/31/2011

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

below)

(Check all applicable)

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Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) SVP, Games Division

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if

3. (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported Transaction(s)

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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)

Conversion or Exercise

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

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

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

7. Title a Underly (Instr. 3

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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

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Performance-based

Restricted Stock $\$ 0 \frac{(1)}{}$ 05/31/2011 A V 90,000 04/01/2012 $\frac{(2)}{}$ 04/01/2018

Units

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hulett Matthew N C/O 2601 ELLIOTT AVENUE SUITE 1000 SEATTLE, WA 98121

SVP, Games Division

Signatures

/s/ Matthew N. 06/01/2011

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Converts into Common Stock on a unit-for-share basis upon vesting.
 - On May 31, 2011, the reporting individual was granted 90,000 performance-based restricted stock units ("PRSUs") that will vest as to a maximum of 100% of the shares on April 1, 2012, provided certain performance criteria are satisfied by such date. Up to one-third of the
- (2) PRSUs units will vest based on the Company's achievement of certain strategic goals, up to an additional one-third of the PRSUs will vest based on the Company's achievement of certain transitional goals, and up to an additional one-third of the PRSUs will vest based on the Company's achievement of certain operational goals.

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