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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *					2.	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
PANCOTTINE JEFF					F	F5 NETWORKS INC [FFIV]									10	0/ 0		
(Last) (First) (Middle)					3.	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)						Director10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)						
C/O F5 NETWORKS, INC., 401 ELLIOTT AVE. WEST						4/30/2004							Sr.VP,Mktg.				, ,	
(Street)					4.	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
SEATTLE, WA 98119 (City) (State) (Zip)												_ X _ Form filed by One Reporting Person _ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
			Table	I - No	on-De	rivati	ive Sec	urities A	cqui	ired, Di	sposed (of, or	Ben	eficially Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans. Date of Security (Instr. 3)				te 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any		3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquire Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		red (A)	F	6. Amount of Securior Following Reported Instr. 3 and 4)	ities Beneficially Owned Transaction(s)		Ownership o Form: B	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
						Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	•					(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock 4/30/2004				004			A (1)		377	A	\$21.660	65		1040				
	Tabl	le II - Der	rivativo	e Secu	rities	Bene	ficially	Owned ((e.g .	. , puts	, calls, w	arrai	nts, o	options, conve	rtible sec	urities)		
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	Date E	Executi				5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date			ities U	Underlying Security	Derivative	Securities Beneficially Owned	Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Security				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Da Ex	ite ercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo	ount or Number of res		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Reporting of a purchase of shares acquired under the F5 Networks stock purchase plan in April 2004.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
PANCOTTINE JEFF C/O F5 NETWORKS, INC. 401 ELLIOTT AVE. WEST SEATTLE, WA 98119			Sr.VP,Mktg. & Bus. Development					

Signatures

/s/ Jeff Pancottine	5/6/200
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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