

COGENT COMMUNICATIONS GROUP INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 MARGALIT EREL N

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 COGENT COMMUNICATIONS GROUP INC [COI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 770 BROADWAY, 2ND FLOOR
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/31/2006

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 ____ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 DIRECTOR & 10% OWNER

NEW YORK, NY 10003

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	01/31/2006		A		3,750	A	\$ 0
Common Stock					5,706,565	I	

see footnote (1) (2)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 3)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MARGALIT EREL N 770 BROADWAY 2ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10003				DIRECTOR & 10% OWNER

Signatures

/s/ Erel N.
Margalit

01/31/2006

**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).

Of the 5,706,565 shares being reported hereunder, 2,274,504 shares are directly owned by Jerusalem Venture Partners III, L.P., 174,847 shares are directly owned by Jerusalem Venture Partners Entrepreneurs Fund III, L.P., 63,741 shares are directly owned by Jerusalem Venture Partners III (Israel), L.P., 3,065,953 shares are directly owned by Jerusalem Venture Partners IV, L.P., 26,036 shares are directly owned by Jerusalem Venture Partners IV-A, L.P., 73,985 shares are directly owned by Jerusalem Venture Partners IV (Israel), L.P., and 27,499 shares are directly owned by Jerusalem Venture Partners Entrepreneurs Fund IV, L.P.
- (1) Erel N. Margalit, the Reporting Person, is a director of the Issuer and an officer of JVP Corp. IV, Jerusalem Venture Partners Corporation and Jerusalem Venture Partners III (Israel) Management Company Ltd. (the ultimate general partners of the various aforementioned limited partnerships), and may be deemed the indirect beneficial owner of those shares directly held by each such entity, but disclaims beneficial ownership in such shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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