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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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10% Owner

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

NETSCOUT SYSTEMS INC

[NTCT]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

02/02/2018

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

(Check all applicable)

See Remarks

below)

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

WESTFORD, MA 01886

C/O NETSCOUT SYSTEMS.

INC., 310 LITTLETON ROAD

(State) (Zip) (City)

(Street)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Ownership Following Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price \$ Common 02/02/2018 $\mathbf{F}^{(1)}$ 18 D 28.425 D 62,602 Stock (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)

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	1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Titl		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)		Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	of Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,	(Month/Day/ e		Under Secur	mount of Inderlying ecurities Instr. 3 and 4)	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
						4, and 5)				Amount		
							Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of		
					Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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See Remarks

Signatures

/s/ Scott Hodgdon, by Power of Attorney

02/05/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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