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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Nume and Address of Reporting reison | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Limelight Networks, Inc. [LLNW] | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | |
|---|--|-------|---|-------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Lunsford J | <u>effrey w</u> | | | X | Director | 10% Owner | | | | |
| | (First) (Middle) IELIGHT NETWORKS, INC. ITH MILL AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/14/2011 | - X | Officer (give title below) Chairman and CE | Other (specify below) CO, Director | | | | |
| | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv Line) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable | | | | | |
| (Street) TEMPE | AZ | 85281 | | X | Form filed by One Rep | ÷ | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | Person | | | | | |
| | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | |

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) | | | 4. Securities A Disposed Of (D | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|---|----------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|---------------|------------------------------|---|---|---|
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (mour +) |
| Common Stock | 09/14/2011 | | A ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ | | 250,000 | D | \$0.00 ⁽³⁾ | 1,894,210 ⁽⁴⁾ | D | |

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. Transa Code (8) | | Deri Sec Acq or D of ([| umber of vative urities uired (A) isposed)) (Instr. and 5) | 6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|---|--|---|-----------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | | |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$2.33 | 09/14/2011 | | A | | | 200,000 | 12/31/2012 ⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾ | 09/14/2021 | Common Stock | 200,000 | \$0.00 ⁽⁷⁾ | 200,000 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The Reporting Person received an aggregate of 250,000 restricted stock units. Subject to the provisions of the 2007 Equity Incentive Plan and Reporting Person's employment and restricted stock unit agreements with the Company, 100% of the restricted stock units subject to the grant shall vest on December 31, 2012, provided the Reporting Person remains a Service Provider to the Company through the vesting date. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.

2. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in the employment agreement between the Reporting Person and the Company, in the event of a Change of Control, one hundred percent (100%) of this grant shall vest on the earlier of (i) ninety (90) days following a Change of Control, provided that the Reporting Person remains a Service Provider on such date, and (ii) termination of the employment of the Reporting Person without Cause in connection with a Change of Control (as such terms are defined in the grant agreement).

3. \$0.00 is used for technical reasons as there is no price for this derivative security until it vests.

4. This includes 250,000 unvested restricted stock units.

5. The Reporting Person received an aggregate of 200,000 stock options. Subject to the provisions of the 2007 Equity Incentive Plan and Reporting Person's employment and stock option agreements with the Company, 100% of the stock options subject to the grant shall vest on December 31, 2012, provided the Reporting Person remains a Service Provider to the Company through the vesting date.

6. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in the employment agreement between the Reporting Person and the Company, in the event of a Change of Control, one hundred percent (100%) of this grant shall vest on the earlier of (i) ninety (90) days following a Change of Control, provided that the Reporting Person remains a Service Provider on such date, and (ii) termination of the employment of the Reporting Person without Cause in connection with a Change of Control (as such terms are defined in the grant agreement).

7, \$0.00 is used for technical reasons as there is no price for this derivative security until exercised.

Remarks:

Executed pursuant to the Limited Power of Attorney for Section 16 reporting obligations dated June 3, 2009.

Jeffrey W. Lunsford, by /s/ James R. Todd, Attorney-in-Fact

09/16/2011

** 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).

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