#### REALNETWORKS INC

Form 4

February 24, 2009

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Eggers Michael R		Symbol		nd Ticker or Trading  RKS INC [RNWK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of	of Earliest	Гransaction	(Check an applicable)			
2601 ELLIG	OTT AVENUE	, #1000	(Month/I 02/22/2	Day/Year) 2009		X_ Officer (give below)	e title 0th below) e President & C	er (specify	
	(Street)		4. If Am	endment, I	Date Original	6. Individual or Jo	oint/Group Fili	ng(Check	
			Filed(Mo	onth/Day/Ye	ar)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by (			
SEATTLE,	WA 98121					Form filed by N Person	lore than One Ro	eporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	ole I - Non	-Derivative Securities Acq	quired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction D			3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature	
Security	(Month/Day/Yea	r) Executio	n Date, if	Transact	ion(A) or Disposed of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect	

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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. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock (1)	02/22/2009		M	7,292	A	\$ 0	13,309	D	
Common Stock (2)	02/22/2009		F	2,380	D	\$ 0	10,929	D	
Common Stock (3)	02/23/2009		S	4,739	D	\$ 2.2817 (4)	6,190	D	

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit Award	\$ 0 (5)	02/22/2009		M	7	7,292	08/22/2008(6)	02/22/2015	Common Stock	7,292

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Eggers Michael R 2601 ELLIOTT AVENUE, #1000 SEATTLE, WA 98121

Sr. Vice President & CFO

## **Signatures**

/s/ Michael

Eggers 02/24/2009

\*\*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) Vested restricted stock units were distributed to the reporting person, without payment, in shares of Common Stock on a unit-for-share basis.
- (2) Shares deemed surrendered in payment of tax liability resulting from vesting of restricted stock units.
- (3) This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.
- Represents the weighted average sale price. The highest price at which shares were sold was \$2.36 and the lowest price at which shares (4) were sold was \$2.25. The reporting person undertakes to provide upon request to the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or its shareholders, full information regarding the number of shares purchased or sold at each separate price.

(5) Converts into Common Stock on a one-for-one basis.

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(6) 12.5% of the restricted stock units vest on 08/22/2008, and an additional 12.5% of the restricted stock units vest upon the completion of each successive six months of employment until the restricted stock units become fully vested on 02/22/2012.

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