EQUINIX INC Form 4 February 17, 2015

### FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Address<br>TAYLOR KEITH | s of Reporting Person * H D | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer   |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
|                                     |                             | EQUINIX INC [EQIX]                          | (Check all applicable)   |  |  |  |
| (Last) (                            | First) (Middle)             | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction             |  |  |  |  |
| ONE LAGOON DRIVE                    |                             | (Month/Day/Year)<br>02/12/2015              | Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Financial Officer  |  |  |  |
| (5                                  | Street)                     | 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 Person |  |  |  |
| REDWOOD CIT                         | Y, CA 94065                 | Filed(Month/Day/Year)                       |  |  |  |  |

| (City)                               | (State)                                 | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |  |                                   |                              |                 |  |  |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|--|--|---|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year)                      | 3.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securionor Dispo<br>(Instr. 3, | sed of<br>4 and<br>(A)<br>or |                 | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/13/2015                              |  | M                                      | 6,548                             | A                            | \$ 0            | 58,694 (1)   | D  |   |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 02/17/2015                              |  | S(2)                                   | 2,076                             | D                            | \$ 225.2451 (3) | 56,618   | 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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 | (A) or<br>of (D) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |                                     |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|------------------|--|--------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
|   |   |   |   | Code V                                  | (A)   | (D)              | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of Shares |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units                        | \$ 0  | 02/12/2015                              |   | A                                       | 4,312   |                  | <u>(4)</u>   | <u>(5)</u>         | Common<br>Stock   | 4,312                               |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units                        | \$ 0  | 02/12/2015                              |   | A                                       | 13,095  |                  | <u>(5)</u>   | <u>(6)</u>         | Common<br>Stock   | 13,095                              |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units                        | \$ 0  | 02/13/2015                              |   | M                                       |   | 6,548            | <u>(5)</u>   | <u>(6)</u>         | Common<br>Stock   | 6,548                               |

### **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

TAYLOR KEITH D ONE LAGOON DRIVE REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065

Chief Financial Officer

## **Signatures**

Darrin B. Short, Attorney-in-Fact

02/17/2015

\*\*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).
- Includes 148 shares acquired under the Equinix, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan on February 13, 2015.
- Shares were sold pursuant to a 10b5-1 Trading Plan in order to raise funds to pay the required withholding tax pursuant to the vesting of **(2)** RSUs.
- (3) 2,076 Shares were sold at an average price of \$225.2451.
- On February 12, 2015, the reporting person was granted restricted stock units, the vesting of which is subject solely to continued service
- (4) through each vesting date. 33.33% of the award is scheduled to vest on January 15, 2016, with an additional 33.33% units scheduled to vest on each of January 15, 2016 and January 15, 2017.
- (5) On March 6, 2014, the reporting person was granted performance restricted stock units, the vesting of which was subject to both continued service and the attainment of certain revenue and EBITDA targets for 2014. The Compensation Committee certified the degree

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to which the targets were achieved, therefore 50% of the award vested on February 13, 2015, with 25% additional units scheduled to vest on each of February 15, 2016 and February 15, 2017, subject solely to continued service.

(6) Restricted Stock Unit award expires upon reporting person's termination of services.

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