Noyes Kurt Form 4 March 03, 2010

#### FORM 4

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

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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 \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Noyes Kurt Issuer Symbol **ENTROPIC COMMUNICATIONS** (Check all applicable) INC [ENTR] (First) (Last) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner \_X\_\_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 6290 SEQUENCE DRIVE 03/01/2010 VP, Accounting & Treasury (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting SAN DIEGO, CA 92121 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqui	ired, 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. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of 6. Securities O Beneficially Fo Owned (I Following In	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
C			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	03/01/2010		M	410	A	\$ 0.325	40,686	D			
Common Stock	03/01/2010		S <u>(1)</u>	410	D	\$ 3.9111 (2)	40,276	D			
Common Stock	03/01/2010		M	4,015	A	\$ 0.325	44,291	D			
Common Stock	03/01/2010		S(1)	4,015	D	\$ 3.9111 (2)	40,276	D			
	03/01/2010		M	3,075	A	\$ 0.325	43,351	D			

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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 ction Derivative Securities 8) 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	Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.325	03/01/2010		M		410	<u>(3)</u>	07/02/2013	Common Stock	410
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.325	03/01/2010		M		3,075	<u>(4)</u>	04/15/2014	Common Stock	3,075
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 0.325	03/01/2010		M		4,015	<u>(5)</u>	12/01/2014	Common Stock	4,015

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

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Noyes Kurt 6290 SEQUENCE DRIVE SAN DIEGO, CA 92121

VP, Accounting & Treasury

#### **Signatures**

Lance W. Bridges, as attorney-in-fact for Kurt Noyes

03/03/2010

\*\*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).
- (1) The sales reported in the Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on August 27, 2009.
- The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$3.65 to \$4.0515, per share. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Entropic Communications (the "Company"), any security holder of the Company or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
- (3) Vest 1/12th per month beginning 1/1/03.
- 1/4th of the shares vest one year after the Vesting Commencement Date beginning 4/8/04. 1/48th of the shares vest monthly thereafter over the next three years. The options may be early exercised prior to vesting but any exercised and unvested shares are subject to a right of repurchase on behalf of the Issuer.
- 1/4th of the shares vest one year after the Vesting Commencement Date beginning 12/15/04. 1/48th of the shares vest monthly thereafter over the next three years. The options may be early exercised prior to vesting but any exercised and unvested shares are subject to a right of repurchase on behalf of the Issuer.

#### **Remarks:**

The reporting persons end of period holdings includes 275 shares purchased on April 30, 2008 under the Company's Employed Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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