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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*<br><u>Whittington Brent</u><br>_____<br>(Last) (First) (Middle)<br><u>C/O RIGNET, INC.</u><br><u>15115 PARK ROW BLVD., SUITE 300</u><br>_____<br>(Street)<br><u>HOUSTON TX 770084</u><br>_____<br>(City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>RigNet, Inc. [ RNET ]</u> | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner<br>Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) |
|   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br><u>05/02/2018</u>       |  |
| 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  |   |  |

**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) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) |   | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |            |        | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|------------|--------|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V | Amount  | (A) or (D) | Price  |   |  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 05/15/2018                           |  | M <sup>(1)</sup>               |   | 4,798   | A          | \$0.00 | 33,828  | 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) |   | 5. Number of 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 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 |
| Restricted Stock Unit                      | (2)  | 05/02/2018                           |  | A                              |   | 6,627  |     | (3)  | (3)             | Common Stock  | 6,627                                      | \$0.00   | 6,627   | D  |       |
| Restricted Stock Unit                      | (2)  | 05/15/2018                           |  | M                              |   | 4,798  |     | (4)  | (4)             | Common Stock  | 4,798                                      | \$0.00   | 0.00  | D  |       |

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Represents the conversion of restricted stock units into common stock. The reporting person was granted 4,798 restricted stock units on May 03, 2017. Such restricted stock units were previously reported on Table II on a Form 4 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 04, 2017
- Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive, at settlement, one share of common stock.
- These restricted stock units will fully vest on May 2, 2019.
- The reporting person was granted 4,798 restricted stock units on May 03, 2017 which were previously reported on Table II on May 04, 2017. These restricted stock units fully vest on May 15, 2018.

**Remarks:**

Shelly Buchman, as attorney 05/16/2018  
in fact for Brent Whittington

\*\* 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).

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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