FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  PHILLIPS STEVEN R						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  AVNET INC [ AVT ]									Check all ap Dire	nip of Reportir oplicable) ector cer (give title	ng Pers	10% C	
	(First) (Middle) VNET, INC. DUTH 47TH STREET					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/02/2009									belo	,		ation Officer	
(Street) PHOENI (City)	X A	Z 8	35034 (Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Application)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person										on			
		Tabl	le I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curiti	es Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	efici	ally Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			Date	2. Transaction		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Disp Code (Instr. 5)		Disposed	Securities Acquired (A)			nd Secu Bene Owne	ficially ed Following	Form (D) or	vnership n: Direct r Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		rted saction(s) . 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 01/02/					2/2009				F		1,249	[1)	D	\$1	8.5 1	11,404(2)		D	
Common	Stock			01/02	2/2009				G		2,091		D	\$	0	9,313 D			
Common Stock				01/02/2009					G		2,091		A	\$	0	7,788		I	By Family Trust
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	cise (Month/Day/Year) if any f ive (Month/Day/Y		Date,	Code (Instr.		n. of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Expiration (Month/E	on Dat Day/Ye		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amount or Numbe of Shares		ount nber	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	/ OF D O (I	0. Ownership Form: Direct (D) Or Indirect O) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Surrender of shares to pay taxes applicable to the vesting of incentive shares.
- 2. Includes 9,313 shares to which the Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership for incentive shares alloted but not yet delivered.

## Remarks:

Jun Li, by power of attorney 01/06/2009

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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