GRINSTEIN KEITH

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Common

Stock

09/14/2005

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(Print or Type Responses)

1 Name and Address of Reporting Person *

GRINSTE	IN KEITH	Symbo	ol ETWORKS INC [FFIV]	Issuer
(Last)	(First)	(Middle) 3. Dat	e of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)
(Zust)	(1131)	, , , ,	h/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner
C/O F5 NETWORKS, INC., 401 ELLIOTT AVE. WEST		, 401 09/14	1/2005	Officer (give title Other (specify below)
	(Street)	4. If A	mendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
CEATTI E	, WA 98119	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting
SEATTLE	, WA 90119			Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip) T	able I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Beneficial Owned Direct (D) Ownership Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)
Common Stock	09/14/2005		M 15,000 A \$ 12.79	9 21,000 D

15,000 D

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Nu of S
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.79	09/14/2005		M	15,000	02/13/2003	02/13/2013	Common Stock	15

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
GRINSTEIN KEITH C/O F5 NETWORKS, INC. 401 ELLIOTT AVE. WEST SEATTLE, WA 98119	X				

Signatures

/s/ Keith
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**Signature of Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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