

Net Element, Inc.
Form 4
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Rakishev Kenges

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O SAT & COMPANY, 241
MUKANOVA STREET

(Street)

ALMATY, 1P 050008

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Net Element, Inc. [NETE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
06/28/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 06/28/2016 | | A | 1,500 A \$ 0 | 1,952,247 ⁽¹⁾ ₍₃₎ | D ⁽²⁾ | |

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)

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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) | 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 5) |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Rakishev Kenges C/O SAT & COMPANY 241 MUKANOVA STREET ALMATY, 1P 050008 | X | X | | |

Signatures

/s/ Kenges
Rakishev

06/30/2016

**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 number of Shares (as defined below) has been adjusted to reflect a 10-1 reverse stock split on May 25, 2016. "Shares" are shares of common stock of the Issuer, par value \$0.0001 per share.

(2) As disclosed on Amendment No. 6 to Schedule 13D filed by Mr. Rakishev with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 14, 2016, on April 8, 2016 Novatus Holding PTE. Ltd., a private limited company organized under the laws of Singapore (of which Mr. Rakishev is the sole shareholder), transferred 7,320,751 Shares held directly by Novatus to Mr. Rakishev for no consideration. Such transfer effected only a change in form of beneficial ownership pursuant to Rule 16a-3 promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and, as a result, all Shares previously reported to be held by Mr. Rakishev indirectly through Novatus are now held directly by Mr. Rakishev.

(3) Mr. Rakishev disclaims beneficial ownership of these Shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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