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FORM 4

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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 *
 Crimi Stephen F

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 C/O 3PAR INC., 4209
 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE
 (Street)

FREMONT, CA 94538

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 3PAR Inc. [PAR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/05/2010

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)
 VP, Bus.Dev & Alliances

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 02/05/2010 | 02/05/2010 | M | 2,500 A \$ 3.58 | 42,819 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/05/2010 | 02/05/2010 | S ⁽¹⁾ | 2,500 D \$ 9.26 | 40,319 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | 5,000 | I | Under UTMA for minor child #1 |
| Common Stock | | | | | 5,000 | I | Under UTMA for minor |

child #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)

| 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 (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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|--|---|----------------------------|
| Right to Buy (Common Stock) | \$ 3.58 | 02/05/2010 | 02/05/2010 | M | 2,500 | 07/28/2007 07/28/2016 | Common Stock | 2,500 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Crimi Stephen F C/O 3PAR INC. 4209 TECHNOLOGY DRIVE FREMONT, CA 94538 | | | VP, Bus.Dev & Alliances | |

Signatures

Ricardo E. Velez, Atty-in-Fact for Stephen F. Crimi 02/09/2010

__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 sale reported on this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 4, 2009.

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