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FORM 4

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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

Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share

12/31/02 12/31/02

277,853 A

695,536

Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940  $|\_|$  Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b). (Print of Type Responses) Name and Address of Reporting Person\* CORNERSTOCK EQUITY INVESTORS LLC (Last) (First) (Middle) 717 Fifth Avenue, Suite 1100 New York NY 10022 (City) (State) (Zip) 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Novatel Wireless, Inc. (NVTL) I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary) Statement for Month/Day/Year December 31, 2002 If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year) Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) |X| 10% Owner |\_| Other (specify below) Director Officer (give title below) Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable line) Form Filed by One Reporting Person Form Filed by More than One Reporting Person Table I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 6. Securities Owner-Securities Acquired (A) or Beneficially ship 2A. 3. Disposed of (D)
Deemed Transaction (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned 7. Form: Following Nature of Direct -- Reported Trans-(D) or Indirect Transaction(s) Indirect Beneficial action (A) Title of Security or
Amount (D) Price (Instr. 3 & (I) Ownership Instr.4) (Instr.4) (Instr.4) Date any (mm/dd/yy) Ownership Date Code V (Instr. 3) Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share 417,683 (1) Series A Preferred Convertible Stock, par value \$0.001 per share 12/31/02 12/31/02 3,000 D

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Warrants (Right to Buy)							(3)	12/31/04		71,942	16.80		I	(2)	
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(Right to Buy)							(3)	06/30/05		11,594	48.60		I	(2)	
Warrants															
(Right to Buy) 							(3)	12/21/05		77,922	18.00	161,458	I	(2)	
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Explanation (1) Effecti	ve as of	October													
common	stock,	\$0.001 pa	ır value p	er share,	in a ra	atio o	of 1 share	res of its	У						
informa	tion abo	out the Re	everse Spl	it may be	found ir	n the	Company's	Further filing or	n						
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- amounts contained in this filing on Form 4 accordingly reflect the effectiveness of the Reverse Split.

  (2) On December 31, 2002, Cornerstone Equity Investors, LLC converted 3,000 shares of the Company's Series A Convertible Preferred Stock into 277,853 shares of the Company's Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share. The shares issued upon such conversion are subject to a currently effective registration statement filed with the SEC on Form S-3.
- (3) The warrants are currently exercisable.

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).
- \*\* 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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