FORM 4

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Fishman Arnold L						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AeroVironment Inc</u> [AVAV]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner					
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(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O AEROVIRONMENT, INC.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/27/2017									belov			below		
800 ROYAL OAKS DRIVE, SUITE 210					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street) MONROVIA CA 91016														Line)	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)															1 613011				
		Tabl	le I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or I	Benef	icially	/ Own	ed			
Date				Date	2. Transaction Date Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			and Securiti Benefic Owned		ies cially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Pr	ice	Reporte Transa (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 12/27/					/2017	.017		G	V	3,044)	(1)	12,329			D		
Common Stock														298,322			T I	See footnote ⁽²⁾	
Common Stock														6,500				See footnote ⁽³⁾	
		Та									sed of, onvertib				Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	n Date, ay/Year)	4. Transa Code (1 8)	(Instr. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		rative rities ired r osed) : 3, 4	6. Date Expiration (Month/L	on Dat Day/Ye		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amoun or Numbe of		De Se (In	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) Securit Owned Following Reports Transac (Instr. 4)		y D	.0. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Bona fide gift to a charitable organization for no consideration.
- 2. Held by the Arnold Fishman Revocable Trust of which Mr. Fishman is the trustee. Mr. Fishman disclaims beneficial ownership of any securities in which he doesn't have a pecuniary interest.
- 3. Shares held in the name of Judy Fishman, spouse of Mr. Fishman.

/s/ Kasey Hannah, Attorney-in-01/17/2018 **Fact**

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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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