FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

## OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Conver Timothy E  (Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O AEROVIRONMENT, INC. |   |       |                         |   |  | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AeroVironment Inc</u> [ AVAV ]      3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/23/2021 |  |     |                          |                          |  |   |   |                                      | (Che                                | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below)     Chairman of the Board |                     |   |                                |   |     |
|--|---|-------|-------------------------|---|--|--|--|-----|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|---|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|---------------------|---|--------------------------------|---|-----|
| 900 INNOVATORS WAY  (Street)  SIMI VALLEY CA 93065  (City) (State) (Zip)                                     |   |       |                         | 55  | 4.   | Line   |  |     |                          |                          |  |   |   |                                      | Line)                               | ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person            |                     |   |                                |   |     |
|  |   | Table | ) I - I                 | Non-Deriva                                | tive   | e Secur  | rities                                       | Acq | uir                      | ed, [                    | Disp                                       | posed (                                     | of, or  | Benef                                | ficial                              | ly Own   | ed                  |   |                                |   |     |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  |   |       |                         | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year |  | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year)  |  | Co  | Transaction Code (Instr. |                          | 4. Securities Acqui<br>Disposed Of (D) (Ir |   |   | ุนired (A) or<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |                                     | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following  |                     | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)                |                                | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |     |
|  |   |       |                         |   |  |  |  | Co  | de                       | v                        | Am   | ount  | (A) or<br>(D)   | Price                                |                                     | Reported<br>Transact<br>(Instr. 3  | tion(s)             | (Instr.   | . 4)                           | Instr. 4)   |     |
| Common Stock   |   |       |                         | 06/23/2021                                |  |  |  | S   | 5                        |                          | 700(1)                                     |   | D   | \$111.35 <sup>(3)</sup>              |                                     | 780,420  |                     |   |                                | See<br>Footnote                                     | (2) |
| Common Stock   |   |       |                         | 06/23/2021                                |  |  |  | S   | S                        |                          | 4,   | ,800(1)                                     | D   | D \$111.43                           |                                     | 775,620  |                     |   |                                | See<br>Footnote                                     | (2) |
| Common Stock   |   |       |                         | 06/23/2021                                |  |  |  | S   | s                        |                          | 300(1)                                     |   | D   | \$110.3 <sup>(7)</sup>               |                                     | 269,407 <sup>(5)</sup>   |                     |   |                                | See<br>Footnote                                     | (6) |
| Common Stock   |   |       |                         | 06/23/2021                                |  |  |  | s   | S                        |                          | 1,   | 1,200 <sup>(1)</sup> D                      |   | \$111.43(8)                          |                                     | 268,207 <sup>(5)</sup>   |                     |   |                                | See<br>Footnote                                     | (6) |
| Common Stock   |   |       |                         |   |  |  |  |     |                          |                          |  |   |   |                                      | 45,                                 | ,115   |                     | D   |                                |   |     |
|  |   | Та    | ble                     | II - Derivati<br>(e.g., pu                |  |  |  |     |                          |                          |  |   |   |                                      |                                     | Owne   | d                   |   |                                |   |     |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)  | of 2. 3. Transaction Date Execution Date, ty or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) |       | Deemed ecution Date, ny | 4.<br>Trar                                | 4. 5. Null<br>Transaction of<br>Code (Instr. Deriv |  | ber 6. Date E<br>Expiratio<br>(Month/D<br>ed |     |                          | xercisable and<br>n Date |  | 7. Ti<br>Amo<br>Seci<br>Und<br>Deri<br>Seci | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Instr.<br>3 and 4) |                                      | Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5) | 9. Number<br>derivative<br>Securitie<br>Beneficia<br>Owned<br>Followine<br>Reported<br>Transact<br>(Instr. 4)                                      | e<br>s<br>ally<br>g | 10.<br>Ownershi<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirec<br>(I) (Instr. 4 | Benefic<br>Owners<br>(Instr. 4 | rect<br>cial<br>ship                                |     |
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by Mr. Conver, as Trustee of The Conver Family Trust and as the manager of C5 Holdings LLC, on March 17, 2021.

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- 2. Held by The Conver Family Trust, of which Mr. Conver is one of the trustees. Mr. Conver disclaims beneficial ownership of any securities in which he does not have a pecuniary interest.
- 3. The price reported represents the weighted average price of shares sold. Shares were sold at varying prices in the range of \$110.48 \$111.91. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes, upon request of the Staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- 4. The price reported represents the weighted average price of shares sold. Shares were sold at varying prices in the range of \$110.61 \$112.74. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes, upon request of the Staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- 5. Held by C5 Holdings LLC, a Delaware limited liability company.
- 6. The reporting person is the manager of C5 Holdings LLC and consequently may be deemed to have sole voting control and investment discretion over securities owned by C5 Holdings LLC. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities held by such LLC except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. The foregoing should not be construed in and of itself as an admission by the reporting person as to the beneficial ownership of the securities owned by such LLC.
- 7. The price reported represents the weighted average price of shares sold. Shares were sold at varying prices in the range of \$110.89 \$111.92. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes, upon request of the Staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- 8. The price reported represents the weighted average price of shares sold. Shares were sold at varying prices in the range of \$110.61 \$112.74. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes, upon request of the Staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, to provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

/s/<u>Kasey Hannah - Attorney -</u> 06/24/2021 in - 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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