## FORM 5

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Form 3 Holdings Reported.

**OWNERSHIP** Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Form 4 Transacti	ons Reported.	Filed	or Section 30(h)	` '	nent Company A	•						
1. Name and Addre	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AeroVironment Inc [ AVAV ]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director X 10% Owner						
(Last) C/O AEROVIRO	3. Statement fo 12/31/2012	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2012					Officer (give title below)  Chairman, Pr	e Ot	her (specify low)			
181 W. HUNTINGTON DRIVE, SUITE 202			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
(Street) MONROVIA	CA	91016							Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)										
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Deemed Execution Date,	3. Transaction	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5				5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership	7. Nature of Indirect		
		(Month/Day/Year)	if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock		12/28/2012		G	15,000	D	\$0		2,416,722	I	See footnote <sup>(1)</sup>	

# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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	(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)	of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

### Explanation of Responses:

Common Stock

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- 1. 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.
- 2. Held by The Conver Family Limited Partnership, 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.

#### Remarks:

/s/ Marco Quihuis, Attorneyin-Fact

02/14/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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