## FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Fishman Arnold L	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AeroVironment Inc [ AVAV ]		ationship of Reporting Pers all applicable) Director	son(s) to Issuer 10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2013		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
C/O AEROVIRONMENT, INC. 181 W. HUNTINGTON DRIVE	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	Line)				
(Street)			, ,	0		
MONROVIA CA 91016			Form filed by More than Person	One Reporting		
(City) (State) (Zip)						
Table I - Non-Deriva	tive Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefi	icially	Owned			

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transac Code (Ir 8)		4. Securities Disposed Of 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/15/2013		Р		17,416	A	<b>\$18.09</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	268,617	Ι	See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock	04/16/2013		Р		8,000	A	\$18.03 <sup>(3)</sup>	276,617	Ι	See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>
Common Stock								6,500	Ι	See footnote <sup>(4)</sup>

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g. puts calls warrants options convertible securities)

			(e.g., p	uts, cai	is,	warra	ants,	options, d	convertio	re sec	unues)				
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. Transact Code (In 8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D	r osed ) <sup>.</sup> .3,4	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	Amour Securi Underl Deriva	nt of ties ying tive ty (Instr.	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficially Owned	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

The price reported represents the weighted average price of shares purchased. Shares were purchased at varying prices in the range of \$17.99 - \$18.18. 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 purchased at each separate price.
 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. The price reported represents the weighted average price of shares purchased. Shares were purchased at varying prices in the range of \$18.00 - \$18.08. 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 purchased at each separate price.

4. Shares held in the name of Judy Fishman, spouse of Mr. Fishman.

Remarks:

/s/ Marco Quihuis, Attorneyin-Fact 04/17/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

 $^{\ast}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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