FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AeroVironment Inc [AVAV]									of Reporting Pers cable) or		son(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O AEROVIRONMENT, INC.							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/21/2012									(give title		Other (s below)	specify		
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														X 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																					
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date, T	4. Transactio Code (Inst 8)				6. Date Exercis Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se (In	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	i C	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er							
Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$25.77	06/21/2012			A		5,000		(1)	06	5/21/2022	Common Stock	5,000	0	\$0	5,000		D			

Explanation of Responses:

 $1. \ The \ options \ vest \ in \ five \ equal \ annual \ installments \ beginning \ one \ year \ from \ the \ date \ of \ grant.$

Remarks:

/s/ Marco Quihuis, Attorney-

06/25/2012

Date

in-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

- * 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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