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## FORM 4

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting HART STEVEN R	g Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First)	(Middle)	VIASAT INC [VSAT]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
6155 EL CAMINO REAL	` '	(Month/Day/Year) 07/07/2009	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specification)  Chief Technical Officer			
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
CARLSBAD, CA 92009			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) (	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative Securiti	ies Acq	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Day/Year)  2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
\$.0001 par value common stock	07/07/2009		M	8,000 A	\$ 7.33	818,590 (1)	D	

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

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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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number ion Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D		te ercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
stock options(right to buy)	\$ 7.33	07/07/2009		M	8,00	00	(2)	07/14/2009	common stock	8,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HART STEVEN R 6155 EL CAMINO REAL CARLSBAD, CA 92009

Chief Technical Officer

## **Signatures**

Kathleen K. Hollenbeck, under power of attorney

07/09/2009

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) Includes 399 shares of common stock the reporting person acquired under the ViaSat 401(k) Plan, since the date of the reporting person's last ownership report.
- (2) The option vested in three (3) equal annual installments on July 14, 2000, July 14, 2001 and July 14, 2002.

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