

HART STEVEN R
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HART STEVEN R

(Last) (First) (Middle)
6155 EL CAMINO REAL
(Street)

CARLSBAD, CA 92009

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
VIASAT INC [VSAT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
09/14/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Chief Technical Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	(A) or (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
\$.0001 par value common stock	09/14/2012		M	26,250	A	\$ 26.15	26,250	D
\$.0001 par value common stock	09/14/2012		S	26,250	D	\$ 40.50 (1)	0	D
\$.0001 par value common stock	09/14/2012		G	10,000	D	\$ 0	629,634	I By Trust

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- (2) Includes 322 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.
- (3) The option vested in four (4) equal annual installments beginning on 10/11/07 and ending on 10/11/10.

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