Conver Timothy E Form 4 December 11, 2012

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Conver Timothy E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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AeroVironment Inc [AVAV]

\_X\_\_ 10% Owner \_X\_ Director

(Check all applicable)

Chairman, President and CEO

C/O AEROVIRONMENT, INC., 181

12/07/2012

(Month/Day/Year)

\_\_ Other (specify \_X\_\_ Officer (give title below)

W. HUNTINGTON DRIVE, SUITE 202

(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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

MONROVIA, CA 91016

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Securi	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed	of (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)
Common Stock	12/07/2012		S <u>(1)</u>	35,000	D	\$ 22.44 (2)	2,646,722	I	See footnote (3)
Common Stock	12/10/2012		S <u>(1)</u>	35,000	D	\$ 22.45 (4)	2,611,722	I	See footnote (3)
Common Stock							470,000	I	See footnote (5)
Common							100	D	

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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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	5. tionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	S !	ate	7. Title Amour Underl Securit (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code '	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Conver Timothy E C/O AEROVIRONMENT, INC. 181 W. HUNTINGTON DRIVE, SUITE 202	X	X	Chairman, President and CEO			
MONROVIA, CA 91016						

## **Signatures**

/s/ Marco Quihuis, Attorney-in-Fact

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person D

#### **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) The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by Mr. Conver, as Trustee of The Conver Family Trust, on October 12, 2012, and amended on October 16, 2012.
  - The price reported represents the weighted average price of shares sold. Shares were sold at varying prices in the range of \$22.20 -
- (2) \$23.03. 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 sold at each separate price.

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- (3) 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.
  - The price reported represents the weighted average price of shares sold. Shares were sold at varying prices in the range of \$22.32 -
- (4) \$22.67. 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 sold at each separate price.
- (5) 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.

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