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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

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Conver Timothy E			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
		(Middle)	AeroVironment Inc [AVAV]	(Check	all applicable)	
(Last)	(First)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(see approved)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	_X_ Director	X 10% Owner	

C/O AEROVIRONMENT, INC., 181 04/30/2013 W. HUNTINGTON DRIVE, SUITE 202

(Street)

MONROVIA, CA 91016

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Chairman, President and CEO

Officer (give title

below)

Applicable Line) Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(City)	(State) (Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	04/30/2013		M	2,739	A	\$ 19.36	2,344,461	I	See footnote (1)
Common Stock							470,000	I	See footnote (2)
Common Stock							100	D	

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

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Other

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 of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. P Der Sec (Ins
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Unit	<u>(3)</u>	04/30/2013		M	2,739	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common	2,739	

10% Owner

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
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Director

Conver Timothy E C/O AEROVIRONMENT, INC. 181 W. HUNTINGTON DRIVE, SUITE 202 MONROVIA, CA 91016

X Chairman, President and CEO

Officer

MONKOVIA, CA 71

Attorney-in-Fact

Signatures
/s/ Marco Quihuis,

05/02/2013

**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) 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.
- (2) 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.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of AeroVironment, Inc. common stock.
- (4) The units are subject to a right of forfeiture in favor of the Company that lapses with respect to 2,739 units on each of April 30, 2013 and 2014.

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