HART STEVEN R

Form 4

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(First) (Middle) VIASAT INC [VSAT]

(Check all applicable)

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

X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

10/11/2010

below) Chief Technical Officer

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Director

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CARLSBAD, CA 92009

6155 EL CAMINO REAL

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed 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) (A) or		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)			
\$.0001 par value common stock	10/11/2010		Code V M	Amount 729	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4) 729	D		
\$.0001 par value common stock	10/11/2010		F(1)	267	D	\$ 40.75	462	D		
\$.0001 par value common stock	10/11/2010		G(2)	462	D	\$0	0	D		

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\$.0001 par value common stock	10/11/2010	G	462	A	\$ 0	714,996	I	By Trust
\$.0001 par value common stock						736	I	By 401(k)

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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.				7. Title and		8. Price of
Derivative Security	Conversion or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Code		Expiration D (Month/Day)		of Underlyin Securities	ng	Derivativ Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		any (Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Securities	(Monui/Day/	(lear)	(Instr. 3 and	4)	(Instr. 5)
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	Security				(A) or					
	Security				Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3, 4,					
					and 5)					
									Amount	
						D-4-	Ei4i		or	
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Number	
						Exercisable	Date		of	
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares	
restricted stock unit	\$ 0	10/11/2010		M	729	(3)	<u>(4)</u>	common stock	729	\$ 0

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Toporous o mar round / radiacoss	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 10/13/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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).
- This entry represents the number of shares of ViaSat, Inc. common stock withheld by the Issuer to satisfy the tax withholding obligation of the Reporting Person. These shares were not sold by the Reporting Person but were instead offset from the total number of vested shares received by the Reporting Person from the Issuer.
- (2) The restricted stock unit was granted to Steven Hart, an employee of ViaSat, Inc. Upon vesting the shares were contributed to The Hart Family Trust.
- The original restricted stock unit grant was for 2,917 restricted stock units on 10/11/2006. Subject to the reporting persons election to defer the receipt of the common stock, the units vest and convert into shares of common stock (on a 1 for 1 basis) at the rate of 1/4 on the 13th month anniversary of the grant date; 1/4 on the second anniversary of the grant date; 1/4 on the third anniversary and 1/4 on the fourth anniversary of the grant date.
- (4) Until vested, the restricted stock unit shall be subject to forfeiture in the event of termination of employment or service with the issuer. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.