

Hayes Edward J Jr
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
Hayes Edward J Jr

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AVIAT NETWORKS, INC.
[AVNW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

5200 GREAT AMERICA PARKWAY

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/03/2012

____ Director
 Officer (give title below) SVP & Chief Financial Officer
____ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)

SANTA CLARA, CA 95054

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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) | 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V or (D) | Amount or Price | | |
| Common Stock | 10/03/2012 | | A | V | 78,923 (1) | A | \$ 0 252,551 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)

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| 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of 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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 2.28 | 10/03/2012 | | A | 67,500 | (2) 10/03/2019 | Common Stock | 67,500 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Hayes Edward J Jr 5200 GREAT AMERICA PARKWAY SANTA CLARA, CA 95054 | | | SVP & Chief Financial Officer | |

Signatures

/s/ Meena Elliott Attorney-in-fact for Edward Hayes
 10/05/2012
 **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).
- Performance shares, which are subject to vesting. Vesting requires both (a) continuing employment with the Corporation through the end of the Corporation's fiscal year 2013 (approximately June 29, 2013), and (b) achievement of at least the minimum performance result for
- (1) the one-year period set forth in the Specific Terms and Conditions. Unvested performance shares are subject to repurchase by the Corporation at \$0.01 per share if eligible employment ends or, following the determination of actual Corporation performance versus metrics, to the extent such performance shares do not vest.
 - (2) Stock options to purchase shares become exercisable if employment with the Corporation continues through the vesting dates. The options will vest as follows: 50% on October 3, 2013, 25% on October 3, 2014 and 25% on October 3, 2015.

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