HARMONIC INC Form 4 March 03, 2017

FORM 4

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

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * COVERT HAROLD L

(First)

4300 NORTH FIRST STREET

(Street)

(Middle)

03/01/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

HARMONIC INC [HLIT] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Chief Financial Officer 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

SAN JOSE, CA 95134

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y 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. Securities our Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	d of (I	O)	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)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/01/2017		M	19,689 (1)	A	\$ 0	133,979	D	
Common Stock	03/01/2017		F	7,639 (2)	D	\$ 5.9	126,340	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2017		M	10,369 (3)	A	\$ 3.14	136,709	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2017		S	10,369	D	\$ 5.7167	126,340	D	
Common Stock	03/02/2017		S	104,631	D	\$ 5.7226	21,709	D	

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Common Stock	03/03/2017	S	10,000	D	\$ 5.7215	11,709	D
Common Stock	03/03/2017	S	11,709	D	\$ 5.6784	0	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)

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Nu of
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	03/01/2017	03/01/2017	M	19,689	11/15/2016	03/01/2017	Common Stock	1
Stock Option/Right to buy	\$ 3.14	03/02/2017	03/02/2017	M	10,369	02/15/2016(3)	03/14/2023	Common Stock	10

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting of their reality requires	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
COVERT HAROLD L							
4300 NORTH FIRST STREET			Chief Financial Officer				
SAN IOSE, CA 95134							

Signatures

/s/ Laura Donovan By Attorney-in-Fact: Laura
Donovan

03/03/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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).
 - These shares of common stock were acquired upon the vesting of performance-based restricted stock units on 3/1/2017. These
- (1) performance-based restricted stock units were initially granted to the Reporting Person on 8/19/2016, and were identified on a Form 4 filed by the Reporting Person on 8/23/2016.
- Shares of Harmonic Inc. common stock withheld by Harmonic Inc. to satisfy tax withholding obligation upon vesting of restricted stock units
- (3) These shares of common stock were acquired upon the exercise of stock options on 3/2/2017. These options were initially granted to the Reporting Person on 3/14/2016, and were identified on a Form 4 filed by the Reporting Person on 3/16/2016.

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