FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* LAY B ALLEN (Last) (First) (Middle) 6155 EL CAMINO REAL				3. [2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VIASAT INC [VSAT] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2012						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)				
(Street) CARLSI (City)		tate)	92009 (Zip)	_	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Li	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date				nsaction	ay/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) Transaction Code (Instr. 5) 5)		red (A) or str. 3, 4 a	5. Amount of Securities For Beneficially (D) Owned Following Reported		5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
		Т	able II - Deriv					uired, Dis s, options,					,	•	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	erivative Conversion Date Execution Date, ecurity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			ansaction of Oberivative 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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	1			
common stock option (right to buy)	\$47.15	01/27/2012		A		5,000		(1)	01/27/2018	common stock	5,000	\$0.00	5,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The option vests on January 27, 2013.
- $2. \ Each \ restricted \ stock \ unit \ represents \ a \ contingent \ right \ to \ receive \ one \ share \ of \ Via Sat, Inc. \ common \ stock.$
- 3. Subject to the reporting person's continued service as a Director of the Issuer, this award will vest and convert into shares of common stock of the Issuer on January 27, 2013.
- 4. Until vested, the restricted stock unit shall be subject to forfeiture in the event of termination of of directorship with the Issuer.

Remarks:

Kathleen K. Hollenbeck, under power of attorney

01/30/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * 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).

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