FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Carrington Mark | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HARMONIC INC [HLIT] | | | | | | | | | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | |
|--|---|--|----------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|---|----------------------------|---|--------|----------------|--|------------------------|-----------------|--|--|--|-------------------------|--|--|
| (Last) | | rst) (| (Middle) | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2012 | | | | | | | | | ctor cer (give title w) r. VP of Wo | | , | | |
| (Street) SAN JOS (City) | SE C. | CA 95134 (State) (Zip) | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | 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) | | | | | | | | ned n Date, Day/Year | 3. Transac Code (Ir | 4. Sec | urities A | cquirec | d (A) or | or 5. Amount of | | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amou | | A) or D) | Price | Repo | | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) | | |
| Common Stock 05/15/2 | | | | | 2012 | .2 | | | A ⁽¹⁾ | | 1,875 | | A | \$0.00 | 23,545 | | D | | | |
| Common Stock 05/15/20 | | | | | | | | | F ⁽²⁾ | | | | \$4.32 | | | D | | | | |
| | | Та | able II | | | | | | uired, Di , options | | | | | | wned | l | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | if any | emed on Date, /Day/Year) | 4. Transac Code (Ir 8) | tion nstr. | ion Number | | 6. Date Exe Expiration (Month/Day | Date | | Amoun Securit Underly Derivat | | | Price rivative curity str. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction ((Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial Ownership | | |
| Restricted | | | | | | v | (A) | | Date Exercisable | | piration te | Title | or Nun of Sha | nber res | | | | | | |
| Stock Units | \$0.00 | 05/15/2012 | | | M | | | 1,875 | 11/15/2011 | 11/ | 15/2014 | Commo Stock | n 1,8 | 375 | \$0.00 | 9,375 | D | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. These shares of common stock were acquired upon the vesting of restricted stock units on 5/15/2012. These restricted stock units were initially granted to the Reporting Person on 11/30/2010, and were identified on a Form 3 filed by the Reporting Person on 2/14/2011.
- 2. Shares of Harmonic Inc. common stock withheld by Harmonic Inc. to satisfy tax withholding obligation upon vesting of restricted stock units.

Remarks:

/s/ Laura Donovan By Attorney-in-Fact: Laura 05/15/2012 Donovan 05/15/2012

** 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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