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 [*] ADEN MATTHEW J						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HARMONIC INC [HLIT]								5. Relationship of Reporting Per (Check all applicable) Director				10% O	wner
(Last) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2008								X	below	, ,	Sale	Other (below)		
549 BALTIC WAY						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									VP, Worldwide Sales & Service				
(Street) SUNNY	SUNNYVALE CA 94089													X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
(City)	(5	State)	(Zip)		~										Perso				
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day						Execution Date			Transaction Dis Code (Instr. and		Dispose	rities Acqu ed Of (D) (I			Securit Benefic Owned	curities For neficially (D) med Ind llowing (Ins		rect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
								Code	v	Amount	mount (A) or (D)		ce	Reporte Transad	u. 4)			(1150.4)	
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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		Expiration	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		A Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er					
Right to buy	\$8.17	05/15/2008			М		60,000	\square	04/01/2009	(1)	05/15/2015	Common Stock	60,00	00	\$8.17	60,000		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Twenty-five percent of the Shares subject to the Option vest twelve months after the Vesting Commencement Date, and 1/48 of the Shares subject to the Option vest each month thereafter.

 /s/ Laura Donovan By

 Attorney-in-Fact: Laura

 Donovan

 ** 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).

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