

Wright Stephen C  
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**FORM 4**

**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 \*  
 Wright Stephen C

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 AeroVironment Inc [AVAV]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 VP of Finance, CFO

C/O AEROVIRONMENT, INC., 181 W. HUNTINGTON DRIVE, SUITE 202

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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(Street)  
 MONROVIA, CA 91016

(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	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	06/30/2008		S(1)		200	D	\$ 27.61 3,505
Common Stock	06/30/2008		S(1)		100	D	\$ 27.64 3,405
Common Stock	06/30/2008		S(1)		100	D	\$ 27.665 3,305
Common Stock	06/30/2008		S(1)		100	D	\$ 27.7 3,205
Common Stock	06/30/2008		S(1)		300	D	\$ 27.72 2,905

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Common Stock	06/30/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	905	D	\$ 27.74	2,000	D
Common Stock	06/30/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 27.79	1,800	D
Common Stock	06/30/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	900	D	\$ 27.8	900	D
Common Stock	06/30/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	500	D	\$ 27.81	400	D
Common Stock	06/30/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 27.86	300	D
Common Stock	06/30/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 28.06	200	D
Common Stock	06/30/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 28.1	0	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	<u>M(1)</u>	10,152	A	\$ 0.637	10,152	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	<u>M(1)</u>	7,038	A	\$ 0.781	17,190	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 26.38	17,090	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 26.39	16,790	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 26.4	16,690	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	701	D	\$ 26.41	15,989	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 26.42	15,789	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 26.44	15,589	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 26.46	15,489	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 26.52	15,189	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	501	D	\$ 26.53	14,688	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 26.54	14,588	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	499	D	\$ 26.56	14,089	D
	07/01/2008	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 26.57	13,989	D

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Common Stock							
Common Stock	07/01/2008	S <sup>(1)</sup>	200	D	\$ 26.6	13,789	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	S <sup>(1)</sup>	308	D	\$ 26.61	13,481	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	S <sup>(1)</sup>	200	D	\$ 26.68	13,281	D
Common Stock	07/01/2008	S <sup>(1)</sup>	100	D	\$ 26.7	13,181	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. 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	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Stock Options (Right to Purchase)	\$ 0.637	07/01/2008		M <sup>(1)</sup>		<sup>(2)</sup>	10/15/2012	Common Stock	10,152
Stock Options (Right to Purchase)	\$ 0.781	07/01/2008		M <sup>(1)</sup>		<sup>(3)</sup>	06/29/2014	Common Stock	7,038

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Wright Stephen C C/O AEROVIRONMENT, INC.			VP of Finance, CFO	

181 W. HUNTINGTON DRIVE, SUITE 202  
MONROVIA, CA 91016

## Signatures

/s/ Marco Quihuis,  
Attorney-in-Fact

07/01/2008

\_\_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).
- (1) The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by Stephen C. Wright on March 10, 2008.
  - (2) The options vest in five equal annual installments beginning one year from October 15, 2002.
  - (3) The options vest in five equal annual installments beginning one year from June 29, 2004.

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