

AeroVironment Inc  
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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 \*  
**ALIBRANDI JOSEPH F**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

(Street)

MONROVIA, CA 91016

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
 (Month/Day/Year)  
**03/10/2008**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	03/10/2008		M		35,189	A	\$ 0.593
Common Stock	03/10/2008		M		4,222	A	\$ 0.781
Common Stock	03/10/2008		M		14,075	A	\$ 0.637
Common Stock	03/10/2008		M		5,630	A	\$ 2.131
Common Stock	03/10/2008		S		800	D	\$ 19.82



MONROVIA, CA 91016

## Signatures

/s/ Marco Quihuis,  
Attorney-in-Fact

03/12/2008

\_\_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 options vest in five equal annual installments beginning one year from December 9, 1999.
- (2) The options vest in five equal annual installments beginning one year from June 29, 2004.
- (3) The options vest in five equal annual installments beginning one year from October 15, 2002.
- (4) The options vest in five equal annual installments beginning one year from October 20, 2005.

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