

Kuehn Michael C
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Kuehn Michael C

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 130 COMMERCE WAY
 (Street)

EAST AURORA, NY 14052

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ASTRONICS CORP [ATRO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/26/2019

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)
 Executive Vice President

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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| \$.01 PV Com Stk | | | | (A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price | 0 | 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)

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| 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 (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) | 8. F. Derivative Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|--|---|--|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Option | \$ 35.61 | | | | | 12/12/2018 | 12/12/2027 | \$.01PV Com Stk | 8,050 |
| Option | \$ 35.61 | | | | | 12/12/2018 | 12/12/2027 | \$.01 PV Cl B Stk | 1,208 |
| Option | \$ 31.57 | | | | | 12/13/2019 | 12/13/2028 | \$.01PV Com Stk | 12,360 |
| Option | <u>(1)</u> | 02/26/2019 | | A | 2,465 | <u>(2)</u> | <u>(2)</u> | \$.01 PV Cl B Stk | 2,465 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Kuehn Michael C 130 COMMERCE WAY EAST AURORA, NY 14052 | | | Executive Vice President | |

Signatures

/s/Julie Davis, as Power of Attorney for Michael Kuehn
Date: 02/28/2019

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) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive, at settlement, one share of common stock.

Vesting of these restricted stock units depends on Astronics Corp.'s average annual adjusted EBITDA for the period of January 1,

(2) 2019-December 31, 2021. The "target" number of restricted stock units is reported. Between 75% and 115% of the target number of units may vest on December 31, 2021, with the vesting percentage determined based on actual performance.

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