

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person PEABODY MARK | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ASTRONICS CORP [ATRO] | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director _____ 10% Owner _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below) _____ VP Astronics Advanced Electron | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 130 COMMERCE WAY | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/06/2016 | | | | | |
| (Street) EAST AURORA, NY 14052 | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |
| (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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|------------|---------|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | |
| \$.01 PV Common Stock | 12/06/2016 | | M | | 6,050 | A | \$ 5.76 | 28,368 | D | |
| \$.01 PV Class B Stock | 12/06/2016 | | M | | 12,168 | A | \$ 5.76 | 103,867 | 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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
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| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | | | | | | Title |
| Option | \$ 5.76 | 12/06/2016 | | M | | | 6,050 | 12/12/2007 | 12/12/2016 | \$.01 PV Com Stk | 6,050 | \$ 5.76 | 0 | D | |
| Option | \$ 5.76 | 12/06/2016 | | M | | | 12,168 | 12/12/2007 | 12/12/2016 | \$.01 PV Cl B Stk | 12,168 | \$ 5.76 | 0 | D | |
| Option | \$ 13.22 | | | | | | | 12/19/2008 | 12/19/2017 | \$.01 PV Com Stk | 2,640 | | 2,640 | D | |
| Option | \$ 13.22 | | | | | | | 12/19/2008 | 12/19/2017 | \$.01 PV Cl B Stk | 5,310 | | 5,310 | D | |
| Option | \$ 3.27 | | | | | | | 12/09/2009 | 12/09/2018 | \$.01 PV Com Stk | 16,880 | | 16,880 | D | |
| Option | \$ 3.27 | | | | | | | 12/09/2009 | 12/09/2018 | \$.01 PV Cl B Stk | 23,785 | | 23,785 | D | |
| Option | \$ 3.27 | | | | | | | 12/03/2010 | 12/03/2019 | \$.01 PV Com | 16,840 | | 16,840 | D | |

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| Option | \$ 3.27 | | | | | | | 12/03/2010 | 12/03/2019 | Stk \$.01 PV Cl B Stk | 23,729 | | 23,729 | D | |
| Option | \$ 8.82 | | | | | | | 12/02/2011 | 12/02/2020 | Stk \$.01 PV Com Stk | 6,500 | | 6,500 | D | |
| Option | \$ 8.82 | | | | | | | 12/02/2011 | 12/02/2020 | Stk \$.01 PV Cl B Stk | 9,159 | | 9,159 | D | |
| Option | \$ 15.63 | | | | | | | 12/01/2012 | 12/01/2021 | Stk \$.01 PV Com Stk | 4,300 | | 4,300 | D | |
| Option | \$ 15.63 | | | | | | | 12/01/2012 | 12/01/2021 | Stk \$.01 PV Cl B Stk | 5,117 | | 5,117 | D | |
| Option | \$ 10.58 | | | | | | | 11/29/2013 | 11/29/2022 | Stk \$.01 PV Com Stk | 7,400 | | 7,400 | D | |
| Option | \$ 10.58 | | | | | | | 11/29/2013 | 11/29/2022 | Stk \$.01 PV Cl B Stk | 6,692 | | 6,692 | D | |
| Option | \$ 32.72 | | | | | | | 12/11/2014 | 12/11/2023 | Stk \$.01 PV Com Stk | 2,990 | | 2,990 | D | |
| Option | \$ 32.72 | | | | | | | 12/11/2014 | 12/11/2023 | Stk \$.01 PV Cl B Stk | 1,755 | | 1,755 | D | |
| Option | \$ 35.46 | | | | | | | 12/11/2015 | 12/11/2024 | Stk \$.01 PV Com Stk | 3,470 | | 3,470 | D | |
| Option | \$ 35.46 | | | | | | | 12/11/2015 | 12/11/2024 | Stk \$.01 PV Cl B Stk | 1,119 | | 1,119 | D | |
| Option | \$ 31.88 | | | | | | | 12/03/2016 | 12/03/2025 | Stk \$.01 PV Com Stk | 4,500 | | 4,500 | D | |
| Option | \$ 31.88 | | | | | | | 12/03/2016 | 12/03/2025 | Stk \$.01 PV Cl B Stk | 675 | | 675 | D | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| PEABODY MARK 130 COMMERCE WAY EAST AURORA, NY 14052 | | | VP Astronics Advanced Electron | |

Signatures

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|---|--|---------------------|
| /s/David C. Burney, as Power of Attorney for Mark Peabody | | 12/07/2016 |
| <small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small> | | <small>Date</small> |

Explanation of Responses:

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