

# FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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|---|--|--|---|--|--|---|--|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *<br>BURNEY DAVID C |  |  | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>ASTRONICS CORP [ATRO]                    |  |  | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br>Director _____ 10% Owner _____<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below) _____<br>VP-FINANCE, CFO |  |  |
| (Last) (First) (Middle)<br>130 COMMERCE WAY                 |  |  | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>12/06/2018                          |  |  |   |  |  |
| (Street)<br>EAST AURORA, NY 14052                           |  |  | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)                                    |  |  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person                       |  |  |
| (City) (State) (Zip)  |  |  | <b>Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned</b> |  |  |   |  |  |

| 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           | 12/06/2018                           |  | M                              |   | 12,690  | A          | \$ 2.85  | 40,578  | D  |   |
| \$.01 PV COMMON STOCK           | 12/06/2018                           |  | F                              |   | 3,144   | D          | \$ 31.87 | 37,434  | D  |   |
| \$.01 PV CLASS B STOCK          | 12/06/2018                           |  | M                              |   | 21,617  | A          | \$ 2.85  | 160,315   | 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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|-----|--------|---|--|-------------------|---|--|--|--|---|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V | (A) | (D)    |   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   |   |  |  |  |   |
| OPTION                                     | \$ 2.85  | 12/06/2018                           |  | M                              |   |     | 12,690 | 12/09/2009  | 12/09/2018   | \$.01 PV COM STK  | 12,690  | \$ 2.85                                    | 0  | D  |   |
| OPTION                                     | \$ 2.85  | 12/06/2018                           |  | M                              |   |     | 4,586  | 12/09/2009  | 12/09/2018   | \$.01 PV CL B STK | 22,467  | \$ 2.85                                    | 0  | D  |   |
| OPTION                                     | \$ 2.84  |                                      |  |                                |   |     |        | 12/03/2010  | 12/03/2019   | \$.01 PV COM STK  | 12,710  |  | 12,710   | D  |   |
| OPTION                                     | \$ 2.84  |                                      |  |                                |   |     |        | 12/03/2010  | 12/03/2019   | \$.01 PV CL B STK | 22,502  |  | 22,502   | D  |   |
| OPTION                                     | \$ 7.68  |                                      |  |                                |   |     |        | 12/02/2011  | 12/02/2020   | \$.01 PV COM STK  | 5,000   |  | 5,000  | D  |   |
| OPTION                                     | \$ 7.68  |                                      |  |                                |   |     |        | 12/02/2011  | 12/02/2020   | \$.01 PV CL B STK | 8,852   |  | 8,852  | D  |   |
|  |  |                                      |  |                                |   |     |        |   |  | \$.01             |   |  |  |  |   |

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|-----------------------------|----------|--|--|--|--|--|--|------------|------------|----------------------------|-------|--|-------|---|--|
| OPTION                      | \$ 13.59 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12/01/2012 | 12/01/2021 | PV<br>COM<br>STK           | 3,600 |  | 3,600 | D |  |
| OPTION                      | \$ 13.59 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12/01/2012 | 12/01/2021 | \$.01<br>PV<br>CL B<br>STK | 5,467 |  | 5,467 | D |  |
| OPTION                      | \$ 9.2   |  |  |  |  |  |  | 11/29/2013 | 11/29/2022 | \$.01<br>PV<br>COM<br>STK  | 6,400 |  | 6,400 | D |  |
| OPTION                      | \$ 9.2   |  |  |  |  |  |  | 11/29/2013 | 11/29/2022 | \$.01<br>PV<br>CL B<br>STK | 7,616 |  | 7,616 | D |  |
| OPTION                      | \$ 28.45 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12/11/2014 | 12/11/2023 | \$.01<br>PV<br>COM<br>STK  | 2,600 |  | 2,600 | D |  |
| Option                      | \$ 28.45 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12/11/2014 | 12/11/2023 | \$.01<br>PV<br>CL B<br>STK | 2,145 |  | 2,145 | D |  |
| OPTION                      | \$ 30.83 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12/11/2015 | 12/11/2024 | \$.01<br>PV<br>COM<br>STK  | 3,150 |  | 3,150 | D |  |
| Option                      | \$ 30.83 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12/11/2015 | 12/11/2024 | \$.01<br>PV<br>CL B<br>STK | 1,641 |  | 1,641 | D |  |
| Option                      | \$ 27.72 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12/03/2016 | 12/03/2025 | \$.01<br>PV<br>COM<br>STK  | 4,100 |  | 4,100 | D |  |
| Option                      | \$ 27.72 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12/03/2016 | 12/03/2025 | \$.01<br>PV<br>CL B<br>STK | 1,322 |  | 1,322 | D |  |
| Option                      | \$ 31.76 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12/14/2017 | 12/14/2026 | \$.01<br>PV<br>COM<br>STK  | 4,370 |  | 4,370 | D |  |
| Option                      | \$ 31.76 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12/14/2017 | 12/14/2026 | \$.01<br>PV<br>CL B<br>STK | 656   |  | 656   | D |  |
| Option                      | \$ 35.61 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12/12/2018 | 12/12/2027 | \$.01<br>PV<br>COM<br>STK  | 6,350 |  | 6,350 | D |  |
| Option                      | \$ 35.61 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 12/12/2018 | 12/12/2027 | \$.01<br>PV<br>CL B<br>STK | 953   |  | 953   | D |  |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Unit | (1)      |  |  |  |  |  |  | (2)        | (2)        | \$.01<br>PV<br>COM<br>STK  | 1,095 |  | 1,095 | D |  |
| Option                      | (3)      |  |  |  |  |  |  | (2)        | (2)        | \$.01<br>PV<br>CL B<br>STK | 164   |  | 164   | D |  |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                              | Relationships |           |                 |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer         | Other |
| BURNEY DAVID C<br>130 COMMERCE WAY<br>EAST AURORA, NY 14052 |               |           | VP-FINANCE, CFO |       |

## Signatures

/s/Julie Davis, as power of attorney for David C. Burney

Signature of Reporting Person

12/10/2018

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, 2018- December 31, 2020. The "target" number (2) of restricted stock units is reported. Between 75% and 115% of the target number of units may vest on December 31, 2020, with the vesting percentage determined based on actual performance.

(3) Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive, at settlement, one share of Class B stock.

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