FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* TARGOFF MICHAEL B					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VIASAT INC [VSAT]								Relationship eck all appli X Direct	cable)	g Pers	son(s) to Iss 10% Ov		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6155 EL CAMINO REAL					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/04/2006								Office below	(give title		Other (s below)	pecify	
(Street) CARLSE			92009 (Zip)		- 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable) K Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	/ative	e Se	curities	Acc	quired, C	isp	osed o	f, or Be	neficial	ly Owned	k			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,			3. 4. Securitic Disposed (5) 8)					Benefici Owned F	es ally Following	Form (D) o	: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	,	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transactions (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
	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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	Date,	4. Transa Code (I 8)		of I		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		Amount of		of s ng e	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e S Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)		Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
common stock option (right to	\$24.72	10/04/2006			A		10,000		(1)	1	0/04/2012	common stock	10,000	\$24.72	35,00	1	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option vests on 10/04/2007.

Remarks:

<u>Kathleen K. Hollenbeck, under</u> <u>power of attorney</u>

10/06/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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