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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* LAY B ALLEN						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VIASAT INC [VSAT]								Relationship leck all appli X Directo	,		son(s) to Issuer	
(Last) 6155 EL	nst) (First) (Middle) 55 EL CAMINO REAL						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/09/2004								Officer (give title Other (spelow) below)			specify
(Street) CARLSE (City)	Street) CARLSBAD CA 92009					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tab	le I - Noi	n-Deriv	vative	e Se	curities	Ac	quired, [Dis	posed o	f, or Be	neficial	ly Owned	t			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)			ed (A) or etr. 3, 4 and	Benefici Owned F	s Form ally (D) o ollowing (I) (Ir		: Direct r Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) oi (D)	Price	Transact	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s Ily J	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
common stock option (right to buy)	\$20.4	09/09/2004			A		10,000		(1)	(09/09/2014	common stock	10,000	\$20.4	40,66	8	I	see footnote ⁽²⁾

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The option vests in three equal annual installments beginning on September 09, 2005.
- 2. The options are vested in the name of Lay Ventures, L.P.

Remarks:

B. Allen Lay

09/09/2004

** 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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