FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* NASH JEFFREY M | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VIASAT INC [VSAT] | | | | | | | | | (Ch | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | | | | |
| NASII JEFFICET W | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | X Direct | Director | | 10% Owner | | | |
| (Last) 6155 EL | (Last) (First) (Middle) 6155 EL CAMINO REAL | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/27/2012 | | | | | | | | | | Office below | r (give title) | Other (speci below) | | specify | | |
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| (Street) | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) | | | | | | |
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| (City) | (Si | tate) | (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | Perso | on | | | | |
| | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| D. D. | | | Date | | | 2A. Deemed Execution Date if any (Month/Day/Yea | | ·, | Transac | 4. Secur Dispose ode (Instr. 5) | | | | | Securiti Benefic Owned | ies ially Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | |
| | | | | | | | Ī | Code | v | Amount | ount (A) or (D) | | Price | Transac | 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. Deeme Execution I if any (Month/Day | Date, T | Transaction Code (Instr. | | | | 6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea | | ate | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | . 3 | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | , [C | LO. Dwnership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | С | Code \ | v | (A) | (D) | Dat Exe | te ercisable | | xpiration ate | Title | or | ount nber res | | | | | | |
| common stock option (right to buy) | \$47.15 | 01/27/2012 | | | A | | 5,000 | | | (1) | 01 | 1/27/2018 | commo stock | n 5,0 | 000 | \$0.00 | 5,000 | | D | | |
| restricted | (2) | 01/27/2012 | | | A | | 1,600 | | | (3) | | (4) | como | 1,0 | 500 | \$0.00 | 1,600 | | D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The option vests on January 27, 2013.
- $2. \ Each \ restricted \ stock \ unit \ represents \ a \ contingent \ right \ to \ receive \ one \ share \ of \ Via Sat, Inc. \ common \ stock.$
- 3. Subject to the reporting person's continued service as a Director of the Issuer, this award will vest and convert into shares of common stock of the Issuer on January 27, 2013.
- $4. \ Until \ vested, the \ restricted \ stock \ unit \ shall \ be \ subject \ to \ for feiture \ in \ the \ event \ of \ termination \ of \ directorship \ with \ the \ Issuer.$

Remarks:

<u>Kathleen K. Hollenbeck, under power of attorney</u> <u>01/30/2012</u>

** 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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