### BALDRIDGE RICHARD A

Form 4

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			Symbol	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol VIASAT INC [VSAT]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date o	3. Date of Earliest Transaction					(Check all applicable)			
6155 EL CA	AMINO REAL	_	(Month/Day/Year) 11/12/2012						Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
	(Street)		4. If Ame	endment,	Da	te Original			6. Individual or .	Joint/Group Fili	ng(Check	
			Filed(Mo	Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Applicable Line)			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Noi	n-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Γ (Month/Day/Ye	ar) Execution	ned 3. 4. Securities Acquired				of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Φ.0001				Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Ilisti. 3 alid 4)			
\$.0001 par value common stock	11/12/2012			M		10,833	A	\$ 0	10,833	D		
\$.0001 par value common stock	11/12/2012			F(1)		5,056	D	\$ 36.3	5,777	D		
\$.0001 par value common stock	11/12/2012			G(2)		5,777	D	\$ 0	0	D		

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\$.0001 par value common stock	11/12/2012	G	5,777	A	\$ 0	101,674	I	By Trust
\$.0001 par value common stock						1,337	I	By 401(k)

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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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ve Expiration I (Month/Day		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
restricted stock unit	<u>(3)</u>	11/12/2012		M	6,25	0 (4)	<u>(5)</u>	common stock	6,250	\$ (
restricted stock unit	(3)	11/12/2012		M	4,58	3 (6)	(5)	common stock	4,583	\$ (

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BALDRIDGE RICHARD A 6155 EL CAMINO REAL CARLSBAD, CA 92009

**Chief Operating Officer** 

**Signatures** 

Richard

Baldridge 11/13/2012

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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person 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).
- This entry represents the number of shares of ViaSat, Inc. common stock withheld by the Issuer to satisfy the tax withholding obligation of the Reporting Person. These shares were not sold by the Reporting Person but were instead offset from the total number of vested shares received by the Reporting Person from the Issuer.
- (2) The restricted stock unit was granted to Richard A. Baldridge, an employee of ViaSat, Inc. Upon vesting the shares were contributed to the Baldridge Family Trust.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of ViaSat, Inc. common stock.
- The original restricted stock unit grant was for 25,000 restricted stock units on 11/10/2009. Subject to the reporting person's election to defer the receipt of the common stock, the units vest and convert into shares of common stock (on a 1 for 1 basis) at the rate of 1/4 on the 13th month anniversary of the grant date; 1/4 on the second anniversary of the grant date; 1/4 on the fourth anniversary of the grant date.
- (5) Until vested, the restricted stock unit shall be subject to forfeiture in the event of termination of employment or service with the Issuer.
- The original restricted stock unit grant was for 18,333 restricted stock units on 11/10/2010. Subject to the reporting person's election to defer the receipt of the common stock, the units vest and convert into shares of common stock (on a 1 for 1 basis) at the rate of 1/4 on the 13th month anniversary of the grant date; 1/4 on the second anniversary of the grant date; 1/4 on the third anniversary of the grant date and 1/4 on the fourth anniversary of the grant date.

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