

# 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><b>SEENDRIPU KISHORE</b> |         |          | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><b>MAXLINEAR INC [MXL]</b> |  |  | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)<br><b>President and CEO</b> |  |  |
| (Last)  | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br><b>01/19/2011</b>     |  |  | 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  |  |  |
| 2051 PALOMAR AIRPORT ROAD, SUITE 100                                  |         |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                     |  |  |   |  |  |
| (Street)  |         |          | CARLSBAD, CA 92011  |  |  |   |  |  |
| (City)  |         |          | (State)   |  |  | (Zip)   |  |  |

**Table 1 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 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    |   |  |   |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 300   | D          | \$ 11.15 | 5,199   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 1,004   | D          | \$ 11.16 | 4,195   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 100   | D          | \$ 11.17 | 4,095   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 100   | D          | \$ 11.18 | 3,995   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/19/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 300   | D          | \$ 11.19 | 3,695   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 200   | D          | \$ 11.2  | 3,495   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 60  | D          | \$ 11.22 | 3,435   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 100   | D          | \$ 11.23 | 3,335   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 100   | D          | \$ 11.26 | 3,235   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 300   | D          | \$ 11.27 | 2,935   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 100   | D          | \$ 11.28 | 2,835   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 335   | D          | \$ 11.3  | 2,500   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 100   | D          | \$ 11.31 | 2,400   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 600   | D          | \$ 11.32 | 1,800   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011                           |  | S(2)                           |   | 200   | D          | \$ 11.33 | 1,600   | I  | See Footnote (1)                                      |

|   |            |  |      |  |     |   |          |       |   |                  |
|---|------------|--|------|--|-----|---|----------|-------|---|------------------|
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011 |  | S(2) |  | 300 | D | \$ 11.34 | 1,300 | I | See Footnote (1) |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011 |  | S(2) |  | 300 | D | \$ 11.35 | 1,000 | I | See Footnote (1) |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011 |  | S(2) |  | 300 | D | \$ 11.36 | 700   | I | See Footnote (1) |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011 |  | S(2) |  | 100 | D | \$ 11.41 | 600   | I | See Footnote (1) |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011 |  | S(2) |  | 100 | D | \$ 11.44 | 500   | I | See Footnote (1) |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011 |  | S(2) |  | 100 | D | \$ 11.47 | 400   | I | See Footnote (1) |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011 |  | S(2) |  | 100 | D | \$ 11.48 | 300   | I | See Footnote (1) |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011 |  | S(2) |  | 100 | D | \$ 11.55 | 200   | I | See Footnote (1) |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011 |  | S(2) |  | 100 | D | \$ 11.56 | 100   | I | See Footnote (1) |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011 |  | S(2) |  | 95  | D | \$ 11.6  | 5     | I | See Footnote (1) |
| Class A Common Stock (\$0.0001 par value) | 01/20/2011 |  | S(2) |  | 5   | D | \$ 11.61 | 0     | I | See Footnote (1) |

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|-----|-----|---|-----------------|--|----------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable  | Expiration Date | Title  | Amount or Number of Shares |   |  |  |  |  |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                   |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer           | Other |
| SEENDRIPU KISHORE<br>2051 PALOMAR AIRPORT ROAD<br>SUITE 100<br>CARLSBAD, CA 92011 | X             | X         | President and CEO |       |

## Signatures

|   |                     |
|---|---------------------|
| /s/ Patrick E. McCready, by power of attorney | 01/21/2011          |
| <small>Signature of Reporting Person</small>  | <small>Date</small> |

## 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) Shares held directly by the Seendripu Family Trust dated 10/5/09, a trust for the benefit of the reporting person and the reporting person's spouse, for which the reporting person and the reporting person's spouse serve as trustees.

(2) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on June 7, 2010.

### Remarks:

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