## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Typ	e Responses	)												
Name and Address of Reporting Person *  Sprague Brian			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol MAXLINEAR INC [MXL]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2051 PALOMAR AIRPORT ROAD, SUITE 100				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2013						X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  VP & GM, Broadband & Consumer				
		(Street)	4	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
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## **Signatures**

CARLSBAD, CA 92011

Sprague Brian

/s/ Adam Spice, as Attorney-in-Fact	02/21/2013
***Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Reporting Owner Name / Address

2051 PALOMAR AIRPORT ROAD, SUITE 100

### **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).

Director 10% Owner Officer

(1) Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents the contingent right to receive one share of MaxLinear, Inc. Class A Common Stock.

Subject to the Reporting Person's continuing to be a service provider (as defined in the 2010 Equity Incentive Plan) through each applicable vesting date, twenty five percent (25%)

Relationships

VP & GM, Broadband & Consumer

Other

(2) of the 68,750 RSUs subject to the award shall vest on August 20, 2012, and one-sixteenth (1/16th) of the 68,750 RSUs subject to the award shall vest on each of November 20, February 20, May 20, and August 20 thereafter, such that the award shall be fully vested on August 20, 2015.

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