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

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|---|---|---------------|--------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--|--------------------|-------------------------|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person –<br>REDDY MADHUKAR                       | 2. Issuer Name and<br>MAXLINEAR IN                          |               | ading  | Symbol                              |                                  | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br>Director 10% Owner  |  |                    |                         |  |
| (Last) (First) (Middle)<br>C/O MAXLINEAR, INC., 5966 LA PLACE COURT,<br>SUITE 100 | 3. Date of Earliest Tr<br>12/15/2015                        | ansaction (M  | lonth/ | Day/Year                            | )                                | X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) VP, Central Engineering  |  |                    |                         |  |
| (Street)<br>CARLSBAD, CA 92008  | 4. If Amendment, Da   | te Original F | iled(N | fonth/Day/Y                         | ear)                             | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)<br>_X_Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |                    |                         |  |
| (City) (State) (Zip)  |   | Table I - No  | on-De  | rivative S                          | Securities                       | Acqu  | ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne  | d                  |                         |  |
| 1.Title of Security<br>(Instr. 3)<br>2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Ye      | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8)    |        | 4. Securi<br>(A) or D<br>(Instr. 3, | isposed of<br>4 and 5)<br>(A) or | f (D)   | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially<br>Owned Following Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | or Indirect<br>(I) | Beneficial<br>Ownership |  |
|   |   | Code          | V      | Amount                              | (D)                              | Price   |  | (Instr. 4)         |                         |  |

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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       2.       3. Transaction       3A. Deemed       4.       5. Number of       6. Date Exercisable and       7. Title and Amount of       8. Price of       9. Number of       10.       11. Nature |            |      |                    |   |       |        |                     |                    |  |  |      |                              |                   |                        |      |   |      |  |  |   |  |  |  |   |  |  |   |                                       |
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| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                            | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security  | Date       | Date | Date               |   | Date  | Date   |                     | Date               | Date   | Date                                   | Date | Date                         | Date              | Date                   | Date | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Code |  | Derivati<br>Securitie<br>Acquiree<br>Dispose | Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4, and |  | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |  | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) |  | 9. Number of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form of<br>Derivative<br>Security:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|  |  |            |      | Code               | v | (A)   | (D)    | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |      | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | (I)<br>(Instr. 4) |                        |      |   |      |  |  |   |  |  |  |   |  |  |   |                                       |
| Class B<br>Common<br>Stock<br>(convertible<br>into Class<br>A Common<br>Stock) |  | 12/15/2015 |      | G <sup>(2)</sup>   | v |       | 1,800  | Ш                   | Ш                  | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock<br>(\$0.0001<br>par value)                          | 1,800                                  | \$ 0 | 26,630                       | D                 |                        |      |   |      |  |  |   |  |  |  |   |  |  |   |                                       |
| Class B<br>Common<br>Stock<br>(convertible<br>into Class<br>A Common<br>Stock) |  | 12/15/2015 |      | G <sup>(2)</sup>   | v | 1,800 |        | Ш                   | Ш                  | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock<br>(\$0.0001<br>par value)                          | 1,800                                  | \$ 0 | 21,300                       | I                 | See<br>Footnote<br>(3) |      |   |      |  |  |   |  |  |  |   |  |  |   |                                       |
| Class B<br>Common<br>Stock<br>(convertible<br>into Class<br>A Common<br>Stock) |  | 12/15/2015 |      | G <mark>(4)</mark> | v |       | 1,800  | Ш                   | Ш                  | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock<br>(\$0.0001<br>par value)                          | 1,800                                  | \$ 0 | 24,830                       | D                 |                        |      |   |      |  |  |   |  |  |  |   |  |  |   |                                       |
| Class B<br>Common<br>Stock<br>(convertible<br>into Class<br>A Common<br>Stock) |  | 12/15/2015 |      | G <mark>(4)</mark> | v | 1,800 |        | Ш                   | Ш                  | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock<br>(\$0.0001<br>par value)                          | 1,800                                  | \$ 0 | 21,300                       | I                 | See<br>Footnote<br>(5) |      |   |      |  |  |   |  |  |  |   |  |  |   |                                       |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy)                               | \$ 1.1613  | 12/17/2015 |      | М                  |   |       | 10,000 | <u>(6)</u>          | 08/07/2017         | Class B<br>Common<br>Stock<br>(convertible<br>into Class<br>A Common<br>Stock) | 10,000                                 | \$ 0 | 144,998                      | D                 |                        |      |   |      |  |  |   |  |  |  |   |  |  |   |                                       |
| Class B<br>Common<br>Stock   |  |            |      |                    |   |       |        |                     |                    | Class A<br>Common  |  |      |                              |                   |                        |      |   |      |  |  |   |  |  |  |   |  |  |   |                                       |

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## **Reporting Owners**

| Ī | Densetting Operation Name (Address  | Relationships |           |                         |       |  |  |  |  |  |
|---|---|---------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|--|
|   | Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                 | Other |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | REDDY MADHUKAR<br>C/O MAXLINEAR, INC.<br>5966 LA PLACE COURT, SUITE 100<br>CARLSBAD, CA 92008 |               |           | VP, Central Engineering |       |  |  |  |  |  |

### Signatures

| /s/ Adam Spice, as Attorney-in-Fact | 12/21/2015 |
|-------------------------------------|------------|
| **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).

Each share of Class B Common Stock is convertible into one share of Class A Common Stock, which is the publicly traded stock, upon certain transfers and at the option of the holder. On the (1) seventh anniversary of the closing of the Registrant's initial public offering (March 29, 2017), the Class B Common Stock and the Class A Common Stock will automatically convert into a single class of Common Stock.

(2) Represents a transfer of shares for no consideration from the Reporting Person to Madhukar Reddy Cust Anavi Maram Reddy UTMA, for which the Reporting Person serves as custodian.(3) Shares held by Madhukar Reddy Cust Anavi Maram Reddy UTMA, for which the Reporting Person serves as custodian.

(4) Represents a transfer of shares for no consideration from the Reporting Person to Madhukar Reddy Cust Arnav Maram Reddy UTMA, for which the Reporting Person serves as custodian.(5) Shares held by Madhukar Reddy Cust Arnav Maram Reddy UTMA, for which the Reporting Person serves as custodian.

(6) The shares subject to this option became fully vested and exercisable on August 8, 2011.

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