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 Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|---|--|------------|--|--|---|---|--|--|--|--|---|--|--|--|-------------|
| SEENDRIPU KISHORE | | | | MAXLINEAR INC [MXL] | | | | | | | | | (Check all applicable) X Director X 10% Owner | | | | | | |
| | | (First) INC., 5966 LA | (Middle) PLACE | | ate of Ea 21/2018 | | st Tr | ansactio | on (Mo | nth/Da | y/Year) | | | | Pre: | | ther (specify b | elow) | |
| (Street) | | | | 4. If . | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | |) | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) | | | | | | |
| CARLSBAD, CA 92008 | | | | | | | | | | | | X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | | | |
| (City) | | (State) | (Zip) | | | | Tab | do I. N | on Dor | ivetiv | o Soourit | ios A gani | ired | Dispose | d of or Po | neficially O | wad | | |
| 1 Title of Se | ecurity | Į, | 2 Transaction | 2Δ | Deeme | | | 3. Trans | | 1 | | | | | | - | 6. | 7 N | Nature |
| 1.Title of Security 2. Transaction (Instr. 3) Date | | | Date | Exec | | Date, if | | Code | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) | | | Beneficially Owned Following | | | | Ownership | of I | ndirect |
| (Month/ | | (Month/Day/Year) |) any (Month/Day/Year) | | | (Instr. 8) | | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5 | | 5) | | ported Tr str. 3 and | ansaction(s | Form: Direct (D) | | Beneficial Ownership | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | (A) - | _ | | | | | or Indirect | | |
| | | | | | | | | Code | V | Amo | (A) o unt (D) | Price | | | | | (I) (Instr. 4) | | |
| Common S | Stock (1) | | 05/21/2018 | | | | | M | | 15,0 | 25 A | \$ 0 | 14 | 5,499 | | | D | | |
| Common S | Stock | | 05/21/2018 | | | | | F | | 15,0 | 25 D | \$ 18.94 | 130,474 D | | | D | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | 870,659 | | | | I | See foo | eotnote |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | 87 | 0,660 | I | | | See foo | e otnote |
| Common Stock | | | | | | 2,017,082 | | | | I | See foo (4) | e otnote | | | | | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | 18 | ,920 | | | I | See foo | e otnote | |
| Reminder: F | Report on a s | eparate line for ea | ch class of securit | Deriv | ative S | ecur | ities | s Acquii | Pers cont form | ons v ained disp | vho resp in this f lays a cu l of, or B | orm are irrently eneficiall | no vali | t require d OMB | on of infor ed to resp control nu | ond unless | | 1474 | 4 (9-02) |
| 1. Title of | 2. | 3. Transaction | 3A. Deemed | | puts, ca 4. | | | | | | e rtible sec cisable | 7. Title | and | ı | 8. Price of | 9. Number | of 10. | | 11. Natu |
| Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | Conversion | | Execution Date | e, if T | Transact Code | tion) | of Der Seco Acq (A) Disp of (l | ivative urities urities urities or posed D) tr. 3, 4, | and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) See (Ins | | Amoun Underly Securit | mount of nderlying scurities nstr. 3 and 4) | | Derivative Security | Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Owners Form of Derivat Securit Direct or India | ship of tive cy: (D) rect | of Indire Benefici Ownersh (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exerci | | Expiration Date | n Title | | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | |
| Restricted Stock Units | (1) | 05/21/2018 | | | M | | | 2,770 | <u>((</u> | <u>5)</u> | <u>(6)</u> | Comm | | 2,770 | \$ 0 | 0 | D | | |
| Restricted Stock Units | <u>(1)</u> | 05/21/2018 | | | M | | | 4,183 | C | 7) | <u>(7)</u> | Comm | | 4,183 | \$ 0 | 33,750 | D | | |
| Restricted Stock | (<u>1)</u> | 05/21/2018 | | | M | | | 5,176 | <u>(3</u> | 3) | (8) | Comm | | 5,176 | \$ 0 | 62,636 | D | | |

Common

Stock

2,896

\$ 0

64,276

D

<u>(9)</u>

<u>(9)</u>

2,896

M

Reporting Owners

(1)

05/21/2018

Restricted

Stock

Units

| Danastina Oroman Nama / Addussa | Relationships | | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | | |
| SEENDRIPU KISHORE C/O MAXLINEAR, INC. 5966 LA PLACE COURT, SUITE 100 CARLSBAD, CA 92008 | X | X | President and CEO | | | | | |

Signatures

| /s/ Adam Spice, as Attorney-in-Fact | 05/23/2018 |
|-------------------------------------|------------|
| **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).
- (1) Each restricted stock unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of MaxLinear, Inc. Common Stock.
- (2) Shares held by the Kishore V. Seendripu 2017 Annuity Trust dated February 17, 2017, a grantor retained annuity trust, for which the Reporting Person serves as trustee.
- (3) Shares held by the Rekha S. Seendripu 2017 Annuity Trust dated February 17, 2017, a grantor retained annuity trust, for which the Reporting Person serves as trustee.
- (4) Shares held 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.
- (5) Shares held by the Seendripu Relatives Trust dated 10/5/09, a trust for the benefit of the Reporting Person's parents and siblings, and for which the Reporting Person serves as trustee.
- 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, one-sixteenth (1/16th) of (6) the 89,382 RSUs subject to the award shall vest on August 20, 2014, and an additional one-sixteenth (1/16th) of the RSUs subject to the award shall vest on each successive November 20, February 20, May 20, and August 20 thereafter, such that the award shall be fully vested on May 20, 2018.
- 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, one-sixteenth (1/16th) of (7) the 135,000 RSUs subject to the award shall vest on August 20, 2015, and an additional one-sixteenth (1/16th) of the RSUs subject to the award shall vest on each successive November 20, February 20, May 20, and August 20 thereafter, such that the award shall be fully vested on May 20, 2019.
- 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, one-sixteenth (1/16th) of (8) the 167,029 RSUs subject to the award shall vest on February 20, 2016, and an additional one-sixteenth (1/16th) of the RSUs subject to the award shall vest on each successive May 20, August 20, November 20, and February 20 thereafter, such that the award will be fully vested on November 20, 2019.
- 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, one-sixteenth (1/16th) of (9) the 93,492 RSUs subject to the award shall vest on May 20, 2017, and an additional one-sixteenth (1/16th) of the RSUs subject to the award shall vest on each successive August 20, November 20, February 20 and May 20 thereafter, such that the award will be fully vested on February 20, 2021.

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