

HARMONIC INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
Ben-Natan Nimrod

(Last) (First) (Middle)

4300 NORTH FIRST STREET

(Street)

SAN JOSE, CA 95134

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
HARMONIC INC [HLIT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
08/15/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_X\_\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

VP, Solutions & Strategy

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_\_X\_\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V                                                                 | Amount or (D) Price                                                                           |                                                          |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 08/15/2010                           |                                                    | A                              |                                                                   | 4,375 (1) A \$ 0                                                                              | 36,304                                                   | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 08/15/2010                           |                                                    | F                              |                                                                   | 1,604 (2) D \$ 6.11                                                                           | 34,700                                                   | D                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 08/17/2010                           |                                                    | S                              |                                                                   | 2,100 (3) D \$ 6.14                                                                           | 32,600 (4)                                               | D                                 |

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 Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6) |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                            |                                                        |                                      |                                                    | 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 |
| Ben-Natan Nimrod<br>4300 NORTH FIRST STREET<br>SAN JOSE, CA 95134 |               |           | VP, Solutions & Strategy |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Laura Donovan By Attorney-in-Fact: Laura Donovan  
08/17/2010

\*\*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) These shares of common stock were acquired upon the vesting of restricted stock units on 8/15/2010. These restricted stock units were initially granted to the Reporting Person on 2/24/2009, and were identified on a Form 4 filed by the Reporting Person on 2/26/2009.
- (2) Shares of Harmonic Inc. common stock withheld by Harmonic Inc. to satisfy tax withholding obligation upon vesting of restricted stock units.
- (3) Per 10b5-1 Plan dated November 23, 2009.
- (4) Includes 21,875 unvested shares which remain subject to Restricted Stock Units from the Restricted Stock Unit grant that was made to Mr. Ben-Natan on 2/24/2009, previously identified on a Form 4 filed 2/26/2009.

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