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(Print or Type Resp	ponses)								
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Estes Steve			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol VIASAT INC [VSAT]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (	Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				(Check all applicable)		
(Mc			(Month/	(Month/Day/Year) 11/10/2011			Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Vice President Human Resources		
(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Origin Filed(Month/Day/Year)			-	1	<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li> <li>Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> </ul>				
CARLSBAD,	CA 92009						Form filed by Person	More than One R	eporting
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Securities A	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	ally Owned
	Fransaction Date onth/Day/Year)	Execution any	Date, if	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securiti nAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or of (D)	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		(D) Price	. ,		
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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 Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orDerivative	Expiration Date	of Underlying
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	Securities

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			(Instr. 3 and	14)
				Code V	(A) (	D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
stock option, right to buy	\$ 44.53	11/10/2011		A	18,750	<u>(1)</u>	11/10/2017	common stock	18,750
restricted stock unit	(2)	11/10/2011		А	6,250	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	common stock	6,250

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Estes Steve 6155 EL CAMINO REAL CARLSBAD, CA 92009			Vice President Human Resources				

## Signatures

Stephen Estes	11/15/2011
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<u>\*\*</u>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) The option vests in 4 equal annual installments beginning on 11/10/12.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of ViaSat, Inc. common stock.
- Subject to the reporting person's election to defer the receipt of common stock, the units vest and convert into shares of common stock of(3) the Issuer at a rate of 1/4 on the 13th month anniversary of the grant date; 1/4th on the second anniversary of the grant date; 1/4th on the third anniversary of the grant date and 1/4 on the fourth anniversary of the grant date.
- (4) Until vested, the restricted stock unit shall be subject to forfeiture in the event of termination of employment or service with the issuer.

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