FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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C/O STEEL PARTNERS HOLDINGS L.P. 590 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR

NY

(State)

(First) C/O STEEL PARTNERS HOLDINGS L.P.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

SPH Group LLC

(Street) NEW YORK

(City)

(Middle)

10022

(Zip)

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person* 2. Is:						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AVIAT NETWORKS, INC. [AVNW]								Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 590 MADISON AVENUE 32ND FLOOR				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2020								Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)							
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10022				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(5	-	Zip)	on-Deriva	tive Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned														
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye				n 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		te,	3. 4. Securities Ac					r	5. Amount of		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		 I		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value ⁽¹⁾ 12/14/20				20		S		27,159	D	\$37	.5305	61	8,837	D ⁽²⁾					
Common Stock, \$0.01 par value ⁽¹⁾ 12/15/2020					20		S		24,128	D	\$37	.5086 59		94,709		D ⁽²⁾			
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Name and Address of Reporting Person* Steel Partners Holdings GP Inc.									
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Explanation of Responses:

1. This Form 4 is filed jointly by Steel Excel Inc. ("Steel Excel"), Steel Partners Holdings L.P. ("Steel Holdings"), SPH Group LLC ("SPHG"), SPH Group Holdings LLC ("SPHG Holdings") and Steel Partners Holdings GP Inc. ("Steel Holdings GP", and collectively, the "Reporting Persons"). Each of the Reporting Persons is a member of a Section 13(d) group that collectively owns more than 10% of the Issuer's outstanding shares of Common Stock. Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares reported owned herein except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

By: Steel Excel Inc., By: /s/ Douglas B. Woodworth, 12/16/2020 Treasurer By: SPH Group Holdings LLC, By: Steel Partners Holdings GP Inc., Manager, 12/16/2020 By: /s/ Douglas B. Woodworth, Chief Financial Officer By: SPH Group LLC, By: Steel Partners Holdings GP Inc., Managing Member, By: 12/16/2020 /s/ Douglas B. Woodworth, Chief Financial Officer By: Steel Partners Holdings GP Inc., By: /s/ Douglas B. 12/16/2020 Woodworth, Chief Financial Officer By: Steel Partners Holdings L.P., By: Steel Partners Holdings GP Inc., General 12/16/2020 Partner, By: /s/ Douglas B. Woodworth, Chief Financial Officer ** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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^{2.} Shares of Common Stock owned directly by Steel Excel. SPHG Holdings owns 100% of the outstanding shares of common stock of Steel Excel. Steel Holdings owns 99% of the membership interests of SPHG. SPHG is the sole member of SPHG Holdings. Steel Holdings GP is the general partner of Steel Holdings, the managing member of SPHG and the manager of SPHG Holdings. Accordingly, each of Steel Holdings, SPHG, SPHG Holdings and Steel Holdings GP may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of Common Stock of the Issuer owned directly by Steel Excel.

 $^{^{\}star}$ 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).