#### L 3 COMMUNICATIONS HOLDINGS INC

Form 4

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## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Mega John S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

L 3 COMMUNICATIONS

**HOLDINGS INC [LLL]** 

(Check all applicable)

C/O L-3 COMMUNICATIONS

(First)

CORPORATION, 600 THIRD **AVENUE** 

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

X\_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

(Middle)

02/23/2015

See Remarks

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

NEW YORK, NY 10016

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (		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)
Common Stock	02/23/2015		M	16,639	A		32,199 (1)	D	
Common Stock	02/23/2015		S	16,639	D	\$ 131.76 (2)	15,560 (1)	D	
Common Stock	02/23/2015		M	6,946	A	\$ 95.42	22,506 (1)	D	
Common Stock	02/23/2015		S	6,946	D	\$ 131.83	15,560 <u>(1)</u>	D	

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration I (Month/Day	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
2/22/2012 Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 67.49	02/23/2015		M	16,63	<u>(4)</u>	02/22/2022	Common Stock	16,639	
08/01/2007 Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 95.42	02/23/2015		M	6,946	<u>(4)</u>	08/01/2017	Common Stock	6,946	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
<b>2</b> 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Mega John S						
C/O L-3 COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION			See Remarks			
600 THIRD AVENUE		See Remarks				
NEW YORK, NY 10016						

## **Signatures**

/s/ Allen E. Danzig as Attorney-in-Fact 02/24/2015

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\*\*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) Does not include shares issuable upon the exercise of options.
  - Represents weighted average sale price for price increments ranging from \$131.68 to \$131.96. The Reporting Person undertakes to
- (2) provide, upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
  - Represents weighted average sale price for price increments ranging from \$131.73 to \$131.88. The Reporting Person undertakes to
- (3) provide, upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (4) This option vests annually in equal one-third increments beginning on the one-year anniversary of the grant date.

#### **Remarks:**

Senior Vice President and President of Communication Systems Group

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