

Murphy Michael T.  
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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 \*  
Murphy Michael T.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
M/A-COM Technology Solutions Holdings, Inc. [MTSI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
100 CHELMSFORD STREET  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
03/25/2013

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Vice President, Engineering

LOWELL, MA 01851

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	03/25/2013		M	V	5,000	A	\$ 0.64 9,972	D
Common Stock	03/25/2013		S <sup>(1)</sup>		5,000	D	\$ 15.96 4,972	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. Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 0.64	03/25/2013		M	5,000	<u>(3)</u> 11/10/2019	Common Stock	5,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Murphy Michael T. 100 CHELMSFORD STREET LOWELL, MA 01851			Vice President, Engineering	

## Signatures

/s/ Clay Simpson,  
Attorney-in-Fact

03/27/2013

\_\_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 shares were sold pursuant to a sales plan adopted by the reporting person and intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.  
The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$15.90 to \$16.15, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any shareholder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
- (2) Represents 150,000 stock options originally granted to the reporting person on November 10, 2009. One-fifth (1/5th) of the stock options vested and became exercisable on November 2, 2010 and one-sixtieth (1/60th) of the stock options vest monthly thereafter provided that the reporting person remains in continuous services with the issuer as of each vesting date.
- (3) Pursuant to a qualified domestic relations order, the reporting person previously transferred stock options to purchase 29,034 shares of the issuer's common stock to his former spouse under this stock option grant. The reporting person no longer reports as beneficially owned

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any securities transferred pursuant to the qualified domestic relations order.

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