

Mauser Michael
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Mauser Michael

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
HARMAN INTERNATIONAL INDUSTRIES INC /DE/ [HAR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
400 ATLANTIC STREET, SUITE 1500
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
08/15/2012

____ Director
____ Officer (give title below)
____ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)
Co-Pres.Info and Lifestyle Div

STAMFORD, CT 06901

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

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

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 | | | | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 08/15/2012 | | M | | | 800 | A | \$ 24.115 | 1,798 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/15/2012 | | M | | | 9,600 | A | \$ 42.32 | 11,398 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/15/2012 | | M | | | 6,000 | A | \$ 32.14 | 17,398 | D | |
| Common Stock | 08/15/2012 | | S | | | 16,400 | D | \$ 44.9809 | 998 | 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 |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 24.115 | 08/15/2012 | | M | 800 | ⁽¹⁾ 09/24/2012 | Common Stock | 800 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 42.32 | 08/15/2012 | | M | 9,600 | ⁽²⁾ 02/22/2018 | Common Stock | 9,600 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 32.14 | 08/15/2012 | | M | 6,000 | ⁽³⁾ 09/17/2018 | Common Stock | 6,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------|------------------------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Mauser Michael 400 ATLANTIC STREET, SUITE 1500 STAMFORD, CT 06901 | | | Co-Pres. | Info and Lifestyle Div |

Signatures

Curtis Hoffman as Attorney in Fact for Michael Mauser
Date: 04/20/2012

__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) Options vest in five equal annual installments commencing one year from the date of grant.

(2) Options vest as to 100% three years from the date of grant

(3) Options vest in three equal annual installments commencing one year from the date of grant.

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