

MacCready Judy  
 Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF 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 * Â MacCready Judy (Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O AEROVIRONMENT, INC.,Â 181 WEST HUNTINGTON DRIVE, SUITE 202  (Street)  MONROVIA,Â CAÂ 91016  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 08/28/2007	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AeroVironment Inc [AVAV]	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)  <input type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below) (specify below)	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	2,381,332	I	See Footnote #1 <u>(1)</u>

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MacCready Judy C/O AEROVIRONMENT, INC. 181 WEST HUNTINGTON DRIVE, SUITE 202 MONROVIA, CA 91016	^	^ X	^	^
P. & J. MacCready Living Trust (Restated) dated March 13, 1997 C/O AEROVIRONMENT, INC. 181 WEST HUNTINGTON DRIVE, SUITE 202 MONROVIA, CA 91016	^	^ X	^	^

## Signatures

/s/ Marco Quihuis, Attorney-in-Fact for Judy MacCready	02/14/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Marco Quihuis, Attorney-in-Fact for P. and J. MacCready Living Trust (Restated) dated March 13, 1997	02/14/2008
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Held by P. and J. MacCready Living Trust (Restated) March 13, 1997 of which Mrs. J. MacCready is the trustee.

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