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**Aviat Networks, Inc.**

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April 29, 2016

**Aviat Networks, Inc.**  
5200 Great America Parkway  
Santa Clara, CA 95054

**IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING THE AVAILABILITY OF PROXY MATERIALS FOR THE SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS ON JUNE 10, 2016**

The control number below will allow you to access proxy information online for all your investments connected with this Annual Meeting. To access your proxy please logon to:

[www.proxyonline.com](http://www.proxyonline.com)

**YOUR CONTROL NUMBER IS:**

Dear Stockholder,

Notice is hereby given that the Special Meeting of Stockholders of Aviat Networks, Inc ("Aviat Networks") is to be held at 5200 Great America Parkway, Santa Clara, CA 95054, on June 10, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. PT.

Stockholders of Aviat Networks will be asked at the Special Meeting:

1. To approve an amendment to Aviat's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation (the "Charter") to effect, at the discretion of the Board of Directors, a reverse stock split of all of the outstanding shares of Aviat's common stock, whereby each 12 shares would be combined, converted and changed into 1 share of common stock.

**The Board of Directors unanimously recommends that you vote FOR the proposal.**

This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials available to you on the Internet at [www.proxyonline.com](http://www.proxyonline.com). We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

Please go to [www.proxyonline.com](http://www.proxyonline.com) and enter the control number found in the box above. Once you have logged in you can view/download the proxy statement and proxy card, request a copy of the proxy materials via e-mail or the U.S. Post Office, and vote your shares. You may choose to vote via the internet, by touchtone phone, or print the ballot and mail it in.

Please read the proxy materials carefully and vote your shares. If you should have any questions about this Notice or the proxy materials, please call (800) 591-8252 Monday through Friday between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. ET.

Thank you in advance for your participation and for your investment.

By order of the Board of Directors.

***If you would like to receive a paper or electronic copy of the proxy material,  
please see the reverse side for instructions.***

**STOCKHOLDER PRIVACY:** To ensure your privacy there is no personal information required to view or request proxy materials and/or vote. The control number listed above is a unique identifier created for this proxy and this proxy only. It is not linked to your account number nor can it be used in any other manner other than this proxy.

## **REQUEST FOR PROXY MATERIALS**

If you would like to receive a paper or electronic copy of these documents, you must request one. There is no charge to you for requesting a copy. Please make your request for a copy using any of the options below. If you wish to receive a paper copy through the mail please make that request on or before **June 3, 2016** to allow for timely delivery. If you request to receive an electronic copy please do so by **June 9, 2015**.



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Go to [www.proxyonline.com](http://www.proxyonline.com) and enter the control number found in the box on the upper right hand corner of the reverse side. Once you have logged in you may request a copy of the proxy materials to be sent to your email address or to your home, your choice.



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### **BY E-MAIL**

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**Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the  
 Shareholder Meeting to Be Held on June 10, 2016**

**AVIAT NETWORKS, INC**

**Meeting Information**

**Meeting Type:** Special Meeting  
**For holders as of:** April 25, 2016  
**Date:** June 10, 2016      **Time:** 10:00 AM PDT  
**Location:** 5200 Great America Parkway  
 Santa Clara, CA 95054

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This is not a ballot. You cannot use this notice to vote these shares. This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. You may view the proxy materials online at [www.proxyvote.com](http://www.proxyvote.com) or easily request a paper copy (see reverse side).

We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

**See the reverse side of this notice to obtain proxy materials and voting instructions.**

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**Vote In Person:** If you choose to vote these shares in person at the meeting, you must request a "legal proxy." To do so, please follow the instructions at [www.proxyvote.com](http://www.proxyvote.com) or request a paper copy of the materials, which will contain the appropriate instructions. Many shareholder meetings have attendance requirements including, but not limited to, the possession of an attendance ticket issued by the entity holding the meeting. Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance.

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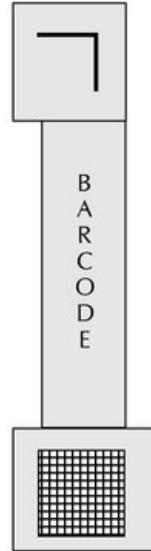
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**Voting Items**

The Board of Directors recommends  
you vote FOR the following  
proposal(s):

- 1 To approve an amendment to Aviat's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation(the "Charter")to effect,  
at the discretion of the Board of Directors, a reverse stock split of all of the outstanding shares of Aviat's  
common stock whereby each 12 shares would be combined, converted and changed into 1 share of common stock.

NOTE: Such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.



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