FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  CAROLAN BRIAN  (Last) (First) (Middle)  1 COMMVAULT WAY  (Street)  TINTON FALLS  NJ 07724          |  |  |        |                                   |                            | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COMMVAULT SYSTEMS INC [ CVLT ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/17/2021  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) |   |              |  |    |  |   |                                   |            | S. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)     Director 10% Owner     X Officer (give title Other (specify below)      VP Finance and CFO       6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting |  |                                      |  |  |  |
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| (City)   | (St  | ate) (Z                                    | Zip)   |                                   |                            |   |   |              |  |    |  |   |                                   |            | Perso   | ) i  |                                      |  |  |  |
|  | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |  |        |                                   |                            |   |   |              |  |    |  |   |                                   |            |   |  |                                      |  |  |  |
| Date   |  |  |        | 2. Transact<br>Date<br>(Month/Day |                            | Execu   | Deemed<br>cution Date,<br>ny<br>nth/Day/Year) |              | Transaction                                    |    | 4. Securities Acquired (A)<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4<br>5) |   | l and Securit<br>Benefic<br>Owned |            | ies<br>cially<br>Following  | Forn<br>(D) o  | n: Direct<br>or Indirect<br>nstr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership                      |  |  |
|  |  |  |        |                                   | Code                       | v   | Amount  | (A) o<br>(D) | Pri  | ce | Reporte<br>Transa<br>(Instr. 3                                   | ted<br>action(s)<br>3 and 4)  |                                   |            | (Instr. 4)  |  |                                      |  |  |  |
| Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 0  |  |  |        |                                   | //2021 (                   |   | 05/17/2021                                    |              | A  |    | 15,049   | A   | \$                                | 0.00       | 133,3   | 390.6051   |                                      | D  |  |  |
| Common Stock <sup>(2)</sup> 05/17  |  |  |        |                                   | .021 05/                   |   | 5/17/2021                                     |              | A  |    | 7,524  | A   | \$                                | 0.00 140,9 |   | ,914.6051  |                                      | D  |  |  |
| Common Stock <sup>(3)</sup> 05/17/2  |  |  |        |                                   | 021 05/                    |   | 5/17/2021                                     |              | A  |    | 7,524  | A   | \$                                | 0.00       | 148,438.6051  |  |                                      | D  |  |  |
| Common Stock <sup>(4)</sup> 05/18/20   |  |  |        |                                   | .021 05/                   |   | 5/18/2021                                     |              | F  |    | 3,564  | D   | \$6                               | \$67.4(5)  |   | 144,874.6051   |                                      | D  |  |  |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |  |  |        |                                   |                            |   |   |              |  |    |  |   |                                   |            |   |  |                                      |  |  |  |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)  | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security            | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | if any | emed<br>ion Date,<br>I/Day/Year)  | on Date, Transa<br>Code (I |   |   |              | 6. Date Exerc<br>Expiration Da<br>(Month/Day/Y |    | ate  | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Inst<br>3 and 4) |                                   | De Se (In  | Price of<br>trivative<br>curity<br>str. 5)  | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) |                                      | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The common stock is being granted as restricted stock units and is subject to a 3-year vesting schedule, as follows: 1/3 on the first anniversary of the grant with the remaining portion vesting in equal quarterly installments thereafter.
- 2. The common stock is being granted as performance share units (PSUs), 1/3 of which will vest, if at all, on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the grant date of the award, if on such dates the Company's total shareholder return satisfies specified benchmarks relative to Russell 3000 index.
- 3. The common stock is being granted as performance share units (PSUs), which will vest, if at all, over a three year period based on the Company's achievement of certain financial performance metrics tied to EBIT and revenue measures.
- 4. This sale of common stock was made to satisfy certain tax withholding obligations resulting from the vesting of restricted stock units.
- 5. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$67.29 and 68.14 inclusive.

## Remarks:

Warren H. Mondschein, Attorney-in-Fact

05/19/2021

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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