FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person*     HARRISON ANDREW R                      |  |                               |  | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALASKA AIR GROUP, INC. [ ALK ] |   |   |         |       |  |   |                    |                 | all applica<br>Director                    | nship of Reporting<br>I applicable)<br>Director<br>Officer (give title |  | on(s) to Issu<br>10% Ov<br>Other (s  | /ner                          |  |                                       |
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| (Last)<br>19300 INTE   | (First)  | `                             | iddle)                                     |  |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/14/2020 |         |       |  |   |                    |                 |  | Λ  | below)   | EVP & CC   |                               | below)   |                                       |
| (Street) SEATTLE (City)  | WA<br>(State   |                               | 188  |  | 4. If A                                 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)    |         |       |  |   |                    |                 |  | Indiv<br>ne)<br>X  | ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person |  |                               |  |                                       |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned |  |                               |  |  |   |   |         |       |  |   |                    |                 |  |  |  |  |                               |  |                                       |
| Date   |  |                               | 2. Transa<br>Date<br>(Month/D              | Execution Date ay/Year) if any   |   | xecution Date,  |         |       |  | 4. Securities Acquired (A) on<br>Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a |                    |                 | and 5) Securities<br>Beneficia<br>Owned Fe |  | ly   | Form   | Direct<br>Indirect<br>str. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership                      |                                       |
|  |  |                               |  |  |   |   |         | Code  | v  | Amount  | (A) or<br>(D)      | Price           |  | Reported<br>Transaction<br>(Instr. 3 au                                |  |  |                               | (Instr. 4)   |                                       |
| COMMON STOCK 02/14/  |  |                               |  | 2020   |   |   | м 3,230 |       | A  | \$0   |                    | 23,777          |  | D  |  |  |                               |  |                                       |
| COMMON STOCK 02/14/  |  |                               |  | /2020  |   | F   |         | 1,272 | ,272 D \$6   |   | 1(1)               | 22,505          |  |  | 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  | Date E<br>(Month/Day/Year) if | 3A. Deen<br>Executio<br>if any<br>(Month/D | n Date,  | 4.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |   | on of   |       | 6. Date Exercisal<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |   | e of Securities    |                 | s<br>Security                              |  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5)  | 9. Number<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction<br>(Instr. 4) | e<br>s<br>ully<br>g           | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|  |  |                               |  |  | Code                                    | v   | (A)     | (D)   | Date<br>Exercisa   |   | Expiration<br>Date | Title           | Amou<br>or<br>Numb<br>of<br>Share          | er   |  |  |                               |  |                                       |
| RESTRICTED<br>STOCK<br>UNITS   | \$0  | 02/14/2020                    |  |  | M                                       |   |         | 3,230 | 02/14/20   | 020   | 02/14/2027         | COMMON<br>STOCK | 3,23                                       | 80   | \$0  | 0  |                               | D  |                                       |

## Explanation of Responses:

1. PRICE PROVIDED IN COLUMN 4 REPRESENTS THE FMV OF ALK SHARES ON THE DATE SHARES WERE FORFEITED FOR TAXES.

/S/ JEANNE E GAMMON,
ATTORNEY IN FACT FOR
ANDREW R. HARRISON

02/18/2020

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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