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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* TURCHIN MARTIN | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AEROJET ROCKETDYNE HOLDINGS, INC. [AJRD] | | | | | | | | | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specifications)) | | | |
| (Last) 222 N. P. | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/17/2021 | | | | | | | | | below | | below | | | | | |
| - | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (| | | | | | | | | | | | p Filing (Check | Applicable | | |
| (Street) EL SEGUNDO CA 90245 | | | | | , | | | | | | | | Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting | | | | | |
| (City) | (St | | Zip) | | | | | | | | | | Person | | | | | |
| | | Table | I - No | n-Deriva | tive S | Secur | ities | Acq | uired | , Dis | posed of, | or B | ene | icially | Own | ed | | |
| | | 2. Transact Date (Month/Day | | Execution Da | | Date, Tra | | ction Instr. | | | | or 4 and | Securit Benefic Owned | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) (D) | P P | rice | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | (Instr. 4) |
| Common | Stock | | | 05/17/2 | 021 | | | | A | | 1,073(1)(2) | A | \$ | 47.21 | 7 | ,905 | I | By Rabbi Trust |
| Common | ommon Stock 05/17/20 | | | 021 | | | | A | | 536(2)(3) | A | \$ | 47.21 | 8 | ,441 | I | By Rabbi Trust | |
| Common Stock 05/17 | | | 05/17/2 | 021 | | | | A | | 2,202(4) | A | | \$0 | 10 | 0,643 | I | By Rabbi Trust | |
| Common | Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 | 1,315 | D | |
| Common | Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | ,000 | I | Coulter Turchin Trust |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 | ,500 | I | Martin Turchin IRA Rollover | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3,000 | | I | Peter Turchin Trust | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1,000 | | I | Tyler Turchin Trust | | |
| | | Ta | ble II - | | | | | | | | osed of, c | | | | Owne | d | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | ate Execut Ionth/Day/Year) if any | emed ion Date, //Day/Year) | 4. Transa Code (8) | | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/ | | ate | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Ins 3 and 4) | | Dei Sed (Ins | Price of rivative curity str. 5) | vative derivative irity Securities | Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4 | Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) (D) | | Date Exercis | sable | Expiration Date | Title | Amou or Numb of Share | er | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Effective March 24, 2010, the Board of Directors approved a Director Compensation Program which allows Directors to elect to receive Aerojet Rocketdyne Holdings, Inc. common stock in lieu of their cash compensation. The number of shares of common stock shown reflects the common stock this Reporting Person is entitled to receive in lieu of his annual cash retainer fee paid quarterly.
- 2. Shares of common stock held by a "rabbi trust" receipt of which has been deferred by the Reporting Person pursuant to the Aerojet Rocketdyne Holdings, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan for Directors
- 3. Pursuant to the Director Compensation Program, if a Director elects to receive common stock in lieu of at least 50% of his cash compensation, the Company will grant restricted shares equal in value to 50% of the amount of cash compensation he elects to receive in common stock. Such restricted shares will vest on the earlier of (i) the date of the Director's retirement from the Board, and (ii) one year after the grant date. The number of shares of common stock shown reflects the grant of restricted shares.
- 4. Grant to Reporting Person of restricted stock under the Aerojet Rocketdyne Holdings, Inc. 2019 Equity and Performance Incentive Plan. Such shares of restricted stock will vest in 50% increments on November 15, 2021 and May 15, 2022.

/s/ Rebecca A. Bauer, attorney-in-fact

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

05/19/2021

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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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