

## 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 *<br><u>Ranjan Peeyush</u><br><br>(Last) (First) (Middle)<br><u>C/O AIRSHIP AI HOLDINGS, INC.</u><br><u>8210 154TH AVE NE</u><br><br>(Street)<br><u>REDMOND</u> <u>WA</u> <u>98052</u><br><br>(City) (State) (Zip) | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol<br><u>Airship AI Holdings, Inc. [ AISP ]</u> | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner<br>Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br><u>09/03/2025</u>                    |                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                                 | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br>Form filed by More than One Reporting Person    |

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) |   | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |            |       | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|-------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V | Amount                                                            | (A) or (D) | Price |                                                                                               |                                                          |                                                       |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |                                                    |                                |   |                                                                   |            |       | 9,767                                                                                         | D                                                        |                                                       |

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) |   | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |     | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) |                 | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |                            | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
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|                                            |                                                        |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V | (A)                                                                                    | (D) | Date Exercisable                                         | Expiration Date | Title                                                                             | Amount or Number of Shares |                                            |                                                                                                    |                                                           |                                                        |
| Options <sup>(1)</sup>                     | \$0.57                                                 |                                      |                                                    |                                |   |                                                                                        |     | 12/21/2023                                               | 01/15/2032      | Common Stock                                                                      | 43,952                     |                                            | 43,952                                                                                             | D                                                         |                                                        |
| Options <sup>(1)</sup>                     | \$1.64                                                 |                                      |                                                    |                                |   |                                                                                        |     | 12/21/2023                                               | 08/06/2033      | Common Stock                                                                      | 131,857                    |                                            | 131,857                                                                                            | D                                                         |                                                        |
| Earnout Rights                             | (2)                                                    |                                      |                                                    |                                |   |                                                                                        |     | (2)                                                      | (2)             | Common Stock                                                                      | 29,302                     |                                            | 29,302                                                                                             | D                                                         |                                                        |
| Options                                    | \$4.25                                                 | 09/03/2025                           |                                                    | A                              |   | 20,000                                                                                 |     | (3)                                                      | 09/03/2035      | Common Stock                                                                      | 20,000                     | \$0                                        | 20,000                                                                                             | D                                                         |                                                        |

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents options to purchase shares of common stock of the Issuer received on December 21, 2023, pursuant to that certain Merger Agreement, dated as of June 27, 2023 (as amended on September 22, 2023 and as may be further amended and/or restated from time to time, the "Merger Agreement"), by and among Airship AI Holdings, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Issuer") (formerly known as BYTE Acquisition Corp., a Cayman Island exempted company limited by shares, prior to its domestication as a Delaware corporation), BYTE Merger Sub, Inc., a Washington corporation and a direct, wholly-owned subsidiary of the Issuer, and Airship AI, Inc., a Washington company (formerly known as Airship AI Holdings, Inc., "Airship AI"). The Reporting Person received the reported options upon the conversion of options to purchase shares of common stock of Airship AI at the Conversion Ratio, as defined in the Merger Agreement, as of the Effective Time of the Merger.

2. Pursuant to earnout provisions in the Merger Agreement and subject to the Reporting Person's continued service to the Issuer, the holder of such Earnout Rights is entitled to receive shares of common stock of the Issuer upon the occurrence of certain operating performance and share price performance milestones during the applicable earnout periods set forth in the Merger Agreement.

3. Options vest quarterly over 4 years.

By: /s/ Peeyush Ranjan

09/04/2025

\*\* 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).

\*\* 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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