FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Macken Patrick W				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Ribbon Communications Inc. [ RBBN ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner								
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(Last)	(F	irst)	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/19/2023							7	below)			Other (s	specify			
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	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution (y/Year) if any		A. Deemed xecution Date, any Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			Benefic Owned	es ially Following	Forn (D) o	n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
								Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or	Price	Reporte Transac (Instr. 3	ction(s)			(Instr. 4)			
Common	Stock			06/19	/2023				M		25,00	00 A	1	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	173	3,653	,653 D				
Common	Stock	tock 06/19/		/2023	2023		<b>F</b> <sup>(2)</sup>		10,087 D \$		\$2.84	163,566			D						
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3A. Deem Execution if any	. Deemed ecution Date, iny		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number n of		6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)				ecurity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	O N O	lumber							
Restricted Stock Units (RSUs)	(1)	06/19/2023			M			25,000	(3)		(3)	Common Stock	1 2	25,000	\$0	0		D			

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. RSUs convert to Common Stock on a one-for-one basis.
- 2. Reflects shares of Common Stock withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of the RSUs.
- 3. The RSUs vested as to one-third on June 19, 2021 and the remaining two-thirds of the RSUs vested in four equal semi-annual installments thereafter through June 19, 2023.

Patrick Macken

06/20/2023

\*\* 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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