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*     Scarfo Anthony					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Ribbon Communications Inc. [ RBBN ]								(Che	ck all applic Director	able)	10% Owner		ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O RIBBON COMMUNICATIONS INC. 4 TECHNOLOGY PARK DRIVE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/19/2020									below)			below)	Assury
(Street) WESTFOR (City)	RD MA	e) (Z		_									Line	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transar Date				Transact	action 2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 2)		I (A) or	5. Amoun	s Form ally (D) o ollowing (I) (In		n: Direct II r Indirect E sstr. 4) C	7. Nature of ndirect Beneficial Dwnership				
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				Co	ode \	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Performance- Based Restricted Stock Units (PSUs)	(1)	06/19/2020		F	A		32,037		(2)		12/31/2022	Common Stock	32,037	\$0	32,037	7	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Each PSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's Common Stock, based on the Issuer's total shareholder return (TSR) compared to pre-established relative TSR goals, based on the TSR of the Russell 2500 Telecommunications Sub Sector Index, that were set by the Compensation Committee (the "Compensation Committee") of the Issuer's Board of Directors. The aggregate number of shares issued may range from zero (0) shares to 200% of the target number of shares reported in columns 5, 7 and 9 of Table II. The number of PSUs reported in columns 5, 7 and 9 of Table II reflects achievement at the target level of performance.

2. Between zero (0) and 200% of the PSUs will vest, if at all, as determined by the Compensation Committee after the TSR performance period, commencing on January 1, 2020 and ending on December 31, 2022.

## Remarks:

Anthony Scarfo

06/23/2020

\*\* 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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