FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  
   Berry Lance A  
   (Last) (First) (Middle)
   1655 ROBERTS BLVD NW
   KENNESAW GA 30144
   (Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
   ARTIVION, INC. [ AORT ]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
   12/06/2023

4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
   (Check all applicable)  
   Director 10% Owner  
   Officer (give title below) Executive VP, CFO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
   X Form filed by One Reporting Person  
   Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication  
☐ Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.

| 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) |
| Common Stock  | 12/06/2023  |  |  |
| Code  | V  | Amount (A) or (D)  | Price |
| A  | 42,064  | $17.83  | 42,064 |

| 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 and 4)  | 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)  |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy)  | 12/06/2023  | 12/06/2023  |  | A  | 93,633  | 12/06/2024  | 12/06/2030  | Common Stock  | 93,633  | 0  | 93,633  | D  |
| Code  | V  | (A)  | (D)  | Date Exercisable  | Expiration Date  | Title  | Amount or Number of Shares  |

Explanation of Responses:  
1. Represents shares of restricted stock that vest on the third anniversary of the grant date, pursuant to the terms of the Equity and Cash Incentive Plan.  
2. Stock option vests 33 1/3% per year beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.  

Remarks:  
/as/ Lance Berry  
12/07/2023  
** 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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