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FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

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			or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940			
L. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Thompson Patrick Ryan			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol MediaAlpha, Inc. [ MAX ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MEDIAALPHA, INC. 700 SOUTH FLOWER STREET, SUITE 640 Street) LOS ANGELES CA 90017		,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2023	X Onice (give title Other (specify below)  See Remarks		
		90017	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     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. Transa Code ( 8)					Securities Beneficially	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(111301. 4)
Class A Common Stock	02/15/2023		M		18,748	A	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	156,910	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/15/2023		F		4,990(2)	D	\$14.37	151,920	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/15/2023		M		9,772	A	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	161,692	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/15/2023		F		2,380(3)	D	\$14.37	159,312	D	

## (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 3A. Deemed Execution Date, 8. Price of Derivative 1 Title of 3. Transaction 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount 9. Number of 10 11. Nature Conversion -. Transaction Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Ownership Underlying Derivative Security (Month/Day/Year Derivative if any (Month/Day/Year) Security (Instr. 5) Security (Instr. 3) or Exercise Code (Instr. Securities Form: Beneficial Price of Derivative 8) Securities Beneficially Direct (D) Ownership Owned Following or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Acquired (Instr. 3 and 4) Security (A) or Disposed Reported of (D) (Insti 3, 4 and 5) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) Amount or Number Date Expiration (A) (D) Exercisable Title Shares Restricted Class A

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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1. One share of Class A Common Stock was issued upon the vesting of each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU").

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2. In accordance with the terms of the RSU grant, 4,990 shares of MediaAlpha, Inc. Class A Common Stock were automatically withheld at vesting to cover required tax withholding.

18,748

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- 3. In accordance with the terms of the RSU grant, 2,380 shares of MediaAlpha, Inc. Class A Common Stock were automatically withheld at vesting to cover required tax withholding.
- 4. Consists of RSUs granted to the Reporting Person on December 6, 2021 pursuant to the Issuer's Omnibus Incentive Plan, each of which represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's Class A Common Stock, or at the option of the Compensation Committee, cash of equivalent value, upon vesting.
- 5. 18.8% of such RSUs vested quarterly on February 15, 2022, May 15, 2022 and August 15, 2022, and the remainder will vest quarterly through August 15, 2023, in each case subject to the Reporting Person's continued employment with the Issuer through the applicable vesting date.
- 6. One quarter of such RSUs vested on November 15, 2022, and the remainder will vest quarterly through November 15, 2025, in each case subject to the Reporting Person's continued employment with the Issuer through the applicable vesting date.

## Remarks:

Stock

Restricted

Units

Stock

Units

Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

/s/ Lance Martinez, attorney-in-<u>fact</u>

18,748

9,772

Common

Stock

Class A

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Stock

\$0

\$<mark>0</mark>

37,496

107,491

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\*\* 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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