

FORM 3**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE
COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES****OMB APPROVAL**

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 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>Haddad Chmelnik Hilla</u>	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) <u>03/17/2026</u>	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>GILAT SATELLITE NETWORKS LTD [GILT]</u>	
(Last) (First) (Middle) <u>21 YEGIA KAPAYIM STREET</u>		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) ☒ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)
(Street) <u>PETAH TIKVA L3 00000</u>			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) ☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City) (State) (Zip)			

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
<u>Stock Option (Right to Buy)</u>	<u>11/15/2025⁽¹⁾</u>	<u>08/15/2031</u>	<u>Ordinary Shares</u>	<u>50,000</u>	<u>\$9.24</u>	<u>D</u>	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The Options vest in twelve equal quarterly installments commencing on 11/15/2025 subject to the Reporting Person's continued service to the Company or its subsidiaries through each vesting date, and will be exercised on a net exercise basis pursuant to the terms of the award agreement.

Remarks:

This Form 3 is being filed to report the Reporting Person beneficial ownership of securities of the Issuer as of the date the Reporting Person became subject to the reporting requirements of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Hilla Haddad Chmelnik
by: Oppenheimer Israel, as 03/17/2026
Attorney-in-fact

** 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 5 (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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