#### RICCITIELLO JOHN S.

Form 4 June 17, 2011

# FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* RICCITIELLO JOHN S.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ELECTRONIC ARTS INC. [ERTS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

\_X\_\_ Director X\_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

209 REDWOOD SHORES **PARKWAY** 

(Street)

(State)

below)

CEO, Director 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

(Month/Day/Year)

06/16/2011

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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#### 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)

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of Transaction Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and

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	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired (A Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4, 5)	(D)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Performance-based Restricted Stock Units	(1)	06/16/2011		A		250,000 (2)		(3)	05/16/2014	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(4)</u>	06/16/2011		A		125,000		<u>(5)</u>	05/16/2014	Common Stock

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
RICCITIELLO JOHN S. 209 REDWOOD SHORES PARKWAY REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065	X		CEO, Director			

# **Signatures**

By: Flora B. Lee, Attorney-in-Fact For: John S.

Riccitiello

06/17/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) Each performance-based restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Electronic Arts common stock.
- (2) Represents the maximum number of shares of Electronic Arts common stock that may be awarded upon the achievement of certain performance targets.
- Performance-based restricted stock units will vest subject to the terms and conditions of the grant agreement evidencing the award and the (3) Company's 2000 Equity Incentive Plan. The performance terms are described in the Form 8-K filed with the SEC on June 1, 2011, as well as the accompanying form of grant agreement.
- (4) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Electronic Arts common stock.
- (5) Restricted stock units vest as to one-third on May 16, 2012; then vest as to an additional one-third on May 16, 2013, and then vest as to the remaining one-third on May 16, 2014.

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