Activision Blizzard, Inc. Form 4

October 05, 2015

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

per share

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> KELLY BRIAN G

(First)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

Activision Blizzard, Inc. [ATVI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2015 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

_X__ Director

(Check all applicable)

_X__ 10% Owner ___ Other (specify

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C/O ACTIVISION BLIZZARD, INC., 3100 OCEAN PARK BOULEVARD

(Street)

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

 Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Officer (give title

X Form filed by One Reporting Person ____ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SANTA MONICA, CA 90405

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially 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)	(D) (Instr. 3,	4 and (A) or	od of 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share	10/01/2015		Code V F(1)	Amount 9,872	. ,	Price \$ 30.9	571,415 <u>(2)</u>	I	See footnote (4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.000001							1,355,501 (3)	D	

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Common			By ASAC II
Stock, par			LP (5)
value			
\$0.000001			
per share			
Common			By the
Stock, par			Kelly
value	472,865	I	Family 2006
\$0.000001			Irrevocable
per share			Trust
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities benefic	ially 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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	Relationships 10% Owner Office X	Officer	Othe			
KELLY BRIAN G C/O ACTIVISION BLIZZARD, INC. 3100 OCEAN PARK BOULEVARD SANTA MONICA, CA 90405	X	X					
Signatures							

/s/ Brian G. 10/05/2015 Kelly

Date

2 Reporting Owners

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- On October 1, 2015, 17,685 restricted share units held by a grantor retained annuity trust, of which Mr. Kelly is the annuitant beneficiary (1) and his wife, Joelle Kelly, is the trustee, vested. As allowed under the terms of Mr. Kelly's restricted share unit agreement, the Company withheld 9,872 of the shares otherwise deliverable to the trust in order to satisfy the resulting tax withholding obligation.
- Following the transactions reported on this Form 4, Mr. Kelly indirectly holds, through a grantor retained annuity trust of which Mr.

 (2) Kelly is the annuitant beneficiary and his wife, Joelle Kelly, is the trustee, (a) 412,250 shares of the Company's common stock and (b) 159,165 restricted share units, each representing the right to receive a share of the Company's common stock.
- Mr. Kelly directly owns (a) 577,472 shares of the Company's common stock, (b) 736,232 performance shares, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock, and (c) 41,797 performance-vesting restricted share units, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.
- (4) These securities are held by a grantor retained annuity trust, of which Mr. Kelly is the annuitant beneficiary and his wife, Joelle Kelly, is the trustee.
- ASAC II LLC is the general partner of ASAC II LP. Robert A. Kotick and Mr. Kelly are the managers of ASAC II LLC. Mr. Kelly (5) disclaims beneficial ownership of the Company's common stock held by ASAC II LP except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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