

ELECTRONIC ARTS INC.  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**BARKER KENNETH A**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**209 REDWOOD SHORES  
PARKWAY**

(Street)

**REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**ELECTRONIC ARTS INC. [EA]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**05/16/2012**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**SVP, Chief Accounting Officer**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	05/16/2012		A	12,500	A <u>11</u>	66,650	D
Common Stock	05/16/2012		F	4,585 <u>(2)</u>	D \$ 14.31	62,065	D
Common Stock	05/17/2012		A	13,333	A <u>11</u>	75,398	D
Common Stock	05/17/2012		F	4,891 <u>(2)</u>	D \$ 14.41	70,507	D

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)	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, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	05/17/2012		D	13,333	(1) 05/17/2013		Common Stock	13,333
Restricted Stock Units	(3)	05/16/2012		D	12,500	(1) 05/16/2014		Common Stock	12,500

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BARKER KENNETH A  
209 REDWOOD SHORES PARKWAY  
REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065

SVP, Chief Accounting Officer

## Signatures

By: Remie Solano, Attorney-in-Fact For: Kenneth A. Barker

05/18/2012

\_\_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) Upon vesting, each restricted stock unit was converted into an equivalent number of shares of common stock.

(2) Represents shares of common stock withheld for tax purposes upon the vesting of restricted stock units.

(3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Electronic Arts common stock.

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