Activision Blizzard, Inc. Form 4

August 10, 2015

FORM 4

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

SECURITIES

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF Section 16. Form 4 or

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KELLY BRIAN G

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

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

SANTA MONICA, CA 90405

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Activision Blizzard, Inc. [ATVI]

(Month/Day/Year)

08/06/2015

Symbol

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title below)

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

3.

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of

Price

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

X 10% Owner Other (specify

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

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

(A)

Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Securities

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Form:

Ownership

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of

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0.5

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Estimated average

burden hours per

Common

Stock, par value \$0.000001

08/06/2015

41,797

Code V Amount

\$0

(D)

 $1,355,501 \stackrel{(2)}{=}$

Common

per share

Stock, par value \$0.000001

per share

591,159 (3)

See footnote I (4)

171,968,042

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Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share			By ASAC II LP (5)
Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share	472,865	I	By the Kelly Family 2006 Irrevocable Trust
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities benefic	cially owned directly or indirectly.		
	Persons who respond to the colle information contained in this form required to respond unless the following contained in the college of the	SEC 1474 (9-02)	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

number.

5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and

7. Title and Amount

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transact Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed o (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea	r)	Underlying Se (Instr. 3 and 4	
				Code V	(A) (D	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of S
Employee Stock Options	\$ 28.71	08/06/2015		A	80,676	07/28/2016 <u>(6)</u>	08/06/2025	Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share	80,

Reporting Owners

1. Title of

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

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

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/s/ Brian G. 08/10/2015 Kelly

**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).
- This represents restricted stock units, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock, which will vest in (1) full on July 28, 2016, if, and only if, the Company's earning per share objective for 2015, which was established by the Board of Directors in February 2015 and adopted by the Compensation Committee in March 2015, is met or exceeded.
- Following the transactions reported on this Form 4, 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.
- Mr. Kelly indirectly holds, through a grantor retained annuity trust of which Mr. Kelly is the annuitant beneficiary and his wife, Joelle (3) Kelly, is the trustee, (a) 396,624 shares of the Company's common stock and (b) 194,535 restricted share units, each representing the right to receive a 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.
- (6) These options will vest if, and only if, the Company's earning per share objective for 2015, which was established by the Board of Directors in February 2015 and adopted by the Compensation Committee in March 2015, is met or exceeded.

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