

Activision Blizzard, Inc.
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Wereb Stephen G

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

(Street)

SANTA MONICA, CA 90405

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Activision Blizzard, Inc. [ATVI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/07/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Principal Accounting Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X 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 | | 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) |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|---------------------|---|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | | | | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share | 11/07/2016 | | A | | 4,747 (1) | A \$ 0 44,653 | D | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share | 11/07/2016 | | A | | 25,098 (2) | A \$ 0 69,751 (3) | D | |

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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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Employee Stock Options | \$ 41.09 | 11/07/2016 | | A | 8,095 | <u>(4)</u> 11/07/2026 | Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share | 8,095 |
| Employee Stock Options | \$ 41.09 | 11/07/2016 | | A | 42,437 | <u>(5)</u> 11/07/2026 | Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share | 42,437 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Wereb Stephen G C/O ACTIVISION PUBLISHING, INC. 3100 OCEAN PARK BOULEVARD SANTA MONICA, CA 90405 | | | Principal Accounting Officer | |

Signatures

/s/ Stephen G. Wereb 11/09/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) This grant was for 4,747 performance-vesting restricted stock units, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock. The number assumes maximum performance; target performance would result in a release of 3,797 shares of the Company's common stock. The restricted stock units vest on March 30, 2020, based upon the level of performance measured by reference to the Company's operating income for 2017, 2018 and 2019.

(2) This grant was for 25,098 performance-vesting restricted stock units, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock. The number assumes maximum performance; target performance would result in a release of 20,078 shares of the Company's common stock. One-half of the restricted stock units vest on June 29, 2018, based upon the level of performance measured by reference to the Company's operating income for 2017, and one-half of the restricted stock units vest on June 29, 2019, based upon the level of performance measured by reference to the Company's operating income for 2018.

(3) Following the transactions reported on this Form 4, Mr. Werek held (1) 4,752 shares of the Company's common stock, (2) 45,184 restricted stock units with vesting tied to performance, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock and (3) 19,815 restricted stock units, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.

(4) One-third of these options vest on each of November 7, 2017, 2018 and 2019.

(5) One-half of these options vest on each of June 29, 2018 and 2019.

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