

Activision Blizzard, Inc.
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FORM 4

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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 *
Morhaime Michael

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O BLIZZARD
ENTERTAINMENT, 16215 ALTON
PARKWAY

(Street)

IRVINE, CA 92618

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
12/31/2016

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)
Pres. & CEO-Blizzard Ent.

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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share | 12/31/2016 | | F | 34,787 ⁽¹⁾ | D \$ 36.11 | 171,878 | D |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share | 12/31/2016 | | G ⁽²⁾ | 31,879 | D \$ 0 | 139,999 ⁽³⁾ | D |
| | 12/31/2016 | | G ⁽²⁾ | 31,879 | A \$ 0 | 369,821 ⁽⁴⁾ | I |

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|--|--|--|--|--------|-----|---|--|
| Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share | | | | | | | See footnote (5) |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share | | | | 22,543 | (6) | I | Securites held by Mr. Morhaime's wife |

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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr |
|---|--|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| | | | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Morhaime Michael C/O BLIZZARD ENTERTAINMENT 16215 ALTON PARKWAY IRVINE, CA 92618 | | | Pres. & CEO-Blizzard Ent. | |

Signatures

/s/ Michael
Morhaime

01/04/2017

Date

__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 December 31, 2016, 66,666 restricted stock units held by Mr. Morhaime vested. Pursuant to the terms of his restricted stock unit award agreement, the Company withheld 34,787 of the shares otherwise deliverable to him in order to satisfy the resulting tax withholding obligation.
 - (1) Following the receipt thereof, Mr. Morhaime transferred the net shares he received in connection with the vesting of his restricted stock units to the Michael Morhaime Revocable Trust.
 - (2) Following the transactions reported on this Form 4, Mr. Morhaime directly held 139,999 restricted stock units, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.
 - (3) Following the transactions reported on this Form 4, Mr. Morhaime indirectly held (through the Michael Morhaime Revocable Trust) 369,821 shares of the Company's common stock.
 - (4) These securities are held by the Michael Morhaime Revocable Trust.
 - (5) Mr. Morhaime indirectly holds, through his wife, (a) 12,861 shares of the Company's common stock and (b) 9,682 performance-based vesting restricted stock units, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.

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