

Griffith Michael J
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FORM 4

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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 *
Griffith Michael J

(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)
06/15/2009

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)
Pres&CEO-Activision Publishing

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 (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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share | 06/15/2009 | | M | 1,484,442 A | \$ 6.42 1,792,126 | D | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share | 06/15/2009 | | S | 1,484,442 D | \$ 12.4333 307,684 ⁽²⁾ | D | |
| | 06/15/2009 | | F ⁽³⁾ | 47,508 D | \$ 0 260,176 | D | |

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|--|--|------------------|---------|---|-----------------------------|------------------------|---|
| | | F ⁽³⁾ | 47,508 | D | \$ 0 | 212,668 | D |
| | | S | 112,668 | D | \$ 12.4333 <u>(1)</u> | 100,000 ⁽⁴⁾ | 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 Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Options | \$ 6.42 | 06/15/2009 | | M | 1,484,442 | ⁽⁵⁾ 06/15/2015 | Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share 1,484,442 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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Signatures

/s/ Michael J.
Griffith

06/17/2009

__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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The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The prices actually received for the stock ranged from \$12.28 to \$12.84 per share. Mr.

(1) Griffith has provided to the Company and, upon request, will provide any security holder of the Company or the SEC staff information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within that range.

(2) On September 5, 2008, there was a 2-for-1 split of the Company common stock, resulting in Mr. Griffith owning an additional 50,000 restricted stock units, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock, and 103,842 restricted shares of the Company's common stock.

(3) On June 15, 2009, 103,842 restricted shares of the Company's common stock held by Mr. Griffith vested. Pursuant to the terms of his restricted stock award, he elected to have the Company withhold 47,508 of the shares otherwise deliverable to him in order to satisfy the resulting tax withholding obligation.

(4) Following the transactions reported on this Form 4, Mr. Griffith held 100,000 restricted stock units, each representing the right to receive a share of the Company's common stock.

(5) These options to purchase shares of the Company's common stock were exercisable in full as of the date of this filing.

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