Activision Blizzard, Inc. Form 4 September 04, 2013

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Activision Blizzard, Inc. [ATVI]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Street)

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

**BOULEVARD** 

Stock, par value

\$0.000001 per share

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 09/01/2013

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title \_ Other (specify

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

SANTA MONICA, CA 90405

(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	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 Common	09/01/2013		F <u>(1)</u>	9,872	D	\$ 16.32	1,277,304 (2)	I	See footnote.

 $2,056,597 \stackrel{(3)}{=} D$ 

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

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	Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Date		Amount of		Derivative	J
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	(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative			Securities	(Instr. 5)	]	
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							Exercisable	Date		Number		
				G 1 17	(A) (B)				of			
					Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KELLY BRIAN G C/O ACTIVISION BLIZZARD, INC. 3100 OCEAN PARK BOULEVARD SANTA MONICA, CA 90405



## **Signatures**

/s/ Brian G. 09/04/2013 Kelly

\*\*Signature of Date
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 September 1, 2013, 17,685 restricted share units held by a grantor retained annuity trust, of which Mr. Kelly is the annuitant

  (1) beneficiary and his wife, Joelle Kelly, is the trustee, vested. As allowed under the terms of Mr. Kelly's restricted share unit agreement, the Company withheld 9,872 of the shares otherwise deliverable to the trust in order to satisfy the resulting tax withholding obligation.
- Following the transactions reported on this Form 4, Mr. Kelly indirectly owns (a) 472,865 shares of the Company's common stock, held by the Kelly Family 2006 Irrevocable Trust, (b) 203,149 shares of the Company's common stock, held by the grantor retained annuity trust of which Mr. Kelly is the annuitant beneficiary and his wife, Joelle Kelly, is the trustee, and (c) 601,290 restricted share units, each representing the right to receive a share of the Company's common stock, held by that grantor retained annuity trust.

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(3) Mr. Kelly directly owns (a) 350,754 shares of the Company's common stock and (b) 1,705,843 performance shares, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.

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