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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Last)

BOULEVARD

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Walther Christopher B

 Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Activision Blizzard, Inc. [ATVI]

(Check all applicable)

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

(Street)

(State)

(First)

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(Middle)

(Zip)

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

4. If Amendment, Date Original

____ Director
__X__ Officer (give title below)

_____ 10% Owner _____ Other (specify

08/06/2012

w) below) Chief Legal Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Year) Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

SANTA MONICA, CA 90405

| | | | | • | , . | | • |
|------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1.Title of | 2. Transaction Date | 2A. Deemed | 3. | 4. Securities Acquired | 5. Amount of | 6. Ownership | 7. Nature of |
| Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transactio | on(A) or Disposed of | Securities | Form: Direct | Indirect |
| (Instr. 3) | | any | Code | (D) | Beneficially | (D) or | Beneficial |
| | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | Owned | Indirect (I) | Ownership |
| | | | | | Following | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | (4) | Reported | | |
| | | | | (A) | Transaction(s) | | |
| | | | | or | (Instr. 2 and 1) | | |

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common

Stock, par value 08/06/2012 A 75,000 A $000,000 \frac{(2)}{2}$ D 000,00001

per share

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 | f 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exer | cisable and | 7. Titl | le and | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
|-------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|---------------|--------------|-------------|---------|-------------|-------------|--------|
| Derivative | e Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transacti | orNumber | Expiration D | ate | Amou | ınt of | Derivative | Deriv |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | /Year) | Under | rlying | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivativ | e | | Secur | ities | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
| | Derivative | | | | Securities | S | | (Instr. | . 3 and 4) | | Own |
| | Security | | | | Acquired | | | | | | Follo |
| | | | | | (A) or | | | | | | Repo |
| | | | | | Disposed | | | | | | Trans |
| | | | | | of (D) | | | | | | (Instr |
| | | | | | (Instr. 3, | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 4, and 5) | | | | | | |
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| | | | | | | | | | Amount | | |
| | | | | | | Date | Expiration | T:41- | or Namel | | |
| | | | | | Exercisable 1 | Date | | Number | | | |
| | | | | C-1- V | (A) (D) | | | | of | | |
| | | | | Code v | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Walther Christopher B C/O ACTIVISION BLIZZARD, INC. 3100 OCEAN PARK BOULEVARD SANTA MONICA, CA 90405

Chief Legal Officer

Signatures

/s/ Chris B. 08/08/2012 Walther

**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).
- This grant was for 75,000 restricted stock units of the Company, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock, which will vest in full on December 30, 2013.
- Following the transaction reported on this Form 4, Mr. Walther held 100,000 restricted stock units, each representing the right to receive **(2)** one share of the Company's common stock.

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