

TripAdvisor, Inc.  
Form 3  
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**FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

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|---|---|--|---|---|---|
| <p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â Halpin Dermot</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O TRIPADVISOR, INC., Â 141 NEEDHAM STREET</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>NEWTON, Â MA Â 02464</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p> | <p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>02/05/2015</p> | <p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>TripAdvisor, Inc. [TRIP]</p> | <p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner<br/><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other<br/>(give title below) (specify below)<br/>President, Vacation Rentals</p> | <p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p> | <p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person<br/><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p> |
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security<br>(Instr. 4)       | 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>(Instr. 4) | 3. Ownership Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|--|--|---|--|
| Common Stock, Par Value \$.001 Per Share | 2,360  | D   | Â  |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

| 1. Title of Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative | 5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: | 6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
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|                             | Date Exercisable          | Expiration Date  | Title        | Amount or Number of Shares | Security | Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |   |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Restricted Stock Units      | 02/15/2015 <sup>(1)</sup> | ∆ <sup>(2)</sup> | Common Stock | 3,215                      | \$ 0     | D                                     | ∆ |
| Restricted Stock Units      | 02/17/2017 <sup>(3)</sup> | ∆ <sup>(4)</sup> | Common Stock | 3,869                      | \$ 0     | D                                     | ∆ |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | 02/15/2015 <sup>(5)</sup> | 11/30/2018       | Common Stock | 47,190                     | \$ 29.48 | D                                     | ∆ |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | 02/15/2015 <sup>(6)</sup> | 02/27/2020       | Common Stock | 66,667                     | \$ 45.27 | D                                     | ∆ |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | 02/15/2015 <sup>(7)</sup> | 02/27/2020       | Common Stock | 33,333                     | \$ 45.27 | D                                     | ∆ |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | 02/15/2015 <sup>(8)</sup> | 02/27/2023       | Common Stock | 19,213                     | \$ 45.27 | D                                     | ∆ |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | 02/15/2015 <sup>(9)</sup> | 02/21/2024       | Common Stock | 7,973                      | \$ 96.92 | D                                     | ∆ |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |                               |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                       | Other |
| Halpin Dermot<br>C/O TRIPADVISOR, INC.<br>141 NEEDHAM STREET<br>NEWTON, MA 02464 | ∆             | ∆         | ∆ President, Vacation Rentals | ∆     |

## Signatures

/s/ Linda C. Frazier, attorney  
in fact

02/17/2015

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- (1) Of such RSUs, 1,072 vest on February 15, 2016 and 1,071 vest on February 15, 2017.
  - (2) Shares will be issued shortly after vesting.
  - (3) Of such RSUs, 967 vest on each of February 15, 2016, February 15, 2017 and February 15, 2018.
  - (4) Shares will be issued shortly following vesting.
  - (5) Of such options, 23,595 are currently exercisable and 23,595 become exercisable on November 29, 2015.
  - (6) All of such options become exercisable on February 1, 2016.
  - (7) All of such options are currently exercisable.

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- (8) Of such options, 6,405 are currently exercisable, and 6,404 become exercisable on each of February 15, 2016 and February 15, 2017.
- (9) Of such options, 1,994 are currently exercisable and 1,993 become exercisable on each of February 15, 2016, February 15, 2017 and February 15, 2018.

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