

JAKKS PACIFIC INC
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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 *
MCGRATH JOHN JOSEPH

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O JAKKS PACIFIC, INC., 22619
PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY

(Street)

MALIBU, CA 90265

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
JAKKS PACIFIC INC [JAKK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/25/2016

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)

Chief Operating Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	03/25/2016		A		134,058 (3) (4)	A	6.9 (1)
					166,858 (2)	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)

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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. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 5)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MCGRATH JOHN JOSEPH C/O JAKKS PACIFIC, INC. 22619 PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY MALIBU, CA 90265			Chief Operating Officer	

Signatures

/s/ John J. McGrath 03/28/2016

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
- (1) Represents the closing price of the Issuer's common stock on 3/24/16, as reported by Nasdaq.
 - (2) Certain of these shares may be restricted from transfer pursuant to the minimum stock ownership provision in Holder's Employment Agreement with the Issuer.
 - (3) Such 134,058 shares were issued pursuant to the Holder's Employment Agreement with the Issuer and are further subject to the terms of that certain March 25, 2016 Restricted Stock Award Agreement by and between the Holder and the Issuer.
The 134,058 shares will vest in three tranches, with each tranche equal to 1/3 of the total grant. The initial tranche will vest on the date in
 - (4) 2017 as of which the vesting condition is determined to be satisfied with the succeeding tranches vesting on the one- and two-year anniversaries of the first vesting date in 2018 and 2019.

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