

Activision Blizzard, 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 *
KOTICK ROBERT A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O ACTIVISION BLIZZARD,
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)
08/12/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.0000001 per share | 08/12/2009 | | M | | 305,700 | A | \$ 1.0315 |
| | | | | | 3,415,429 | D | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.0000001 per share | 08/12/2009 | | S | | 305,700 | D | \$ 12.5052 |
| | | | | | | | <u>(1)</u> |
| | 08/12/2009 | | M | | 500,000 | A | \$ 1.0315 |
| | | | | | 3,609,729 | D | |

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Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.0000001
per share

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Stock, par
value
\$0.0000001
per share

| | | | | | | |
|------------|---|---------|---|-----------------------------|-----------|---|
| 08/12/2009 | S | 500,000 | D | \$ 12.5104 <u>(2)</u> | 3,109,729 | D |
|------------|---|---------|---|-----------------------------|-----------|---|

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.0000001
per share

| | | | | | | |
|------------|---|---------|---|-----------|-----------|---|
| 08/13/2009 | M | 194,300 | A | \$ 1.0315 | 3,304,029 | D |
|------------|---|---------|---|-----------|-----------|---|

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.0000001
per share

| | | | | | | |
|------------|---|---------|---|-----------------------------|-----------|---|
| 08/13/2009 | S | 194,300 | D | \$ 12.4618 <u>(3)</u> | 3,109,729 | D |
|------------|---|---------|---|-----------------------------|-----------|---|

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.0000001
per share

| | | | | | | |
|------------|---|---------|---|-----------|-----------|---|
| 08/13/2009 | M | 500,000 | A | \$ 1.0315 | 3,609,729 | D |
|------------|---|---------|---|-----------|-----------|---|

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.0000001
per share

| | | | | | | |
|------------|---|---------|---|-----------------------------|-----------|---|
| 08/13/2009 | S | 500,000 | D | \$ 12.3662 <u>(4)</u> | 3,109,729 | D |
|------------|---|---------|---|-----------------------------|-----------|---|

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.0000001
per share

| | | | | | | |
|------------|---|---------|---|-----------|-----------|---|
| 08/13/2009 | M | 500,000 | A | \$ 1.0315 | 3,609,729 | D |
|------------|---|---------|---|-----------|-----------|---|

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.0000001
per share

| | | | | | | |
|------------|---|---------|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| 08/13/2009 | S | 500,000 | D | \$ 12.407 <u>(5)</u> | 3,109,729 <u>(6)</u> | D |
|------------|---|---------|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|---|

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.0000001
per share

| | | |
|---------|---|---------------------|
| 160,610 | I | By 10122CP Trust |
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| 100,002 | I |
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|--|--|--|--|-------|---|--|
| Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share | | | | | | By Delmonte Investments, LLC |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share | | | | 9,600 | I | By UTMA's for benefit of minor children |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share | | | | 3,596 | I | By 10122N Trust |

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 Am Underlying Sec (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---------|--|---------------------|--|
| | | | | | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | |
| Employee Stock Options | \$ 3.8672 | 07/21/2009 | | J ⁽⁷⁾ | | 763,153 | <u>(8)</u> | 04/29/2014 | Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share |
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| Employee Stock Options | \$ 1.0315 | 08/12/2009 | | M | | 305,700 | <u>(9)</u> | 04/18/2010 | Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share |

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|------------------------|-----------|------------|---|---------|-----|------------|--|
| Employee Stock Options | \$ 1.0315 | 08/12/2009 | M | 500,000 | (9) | 04/18/2010 | Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share |
| Employee Stock Options | \$ 1.0315 | 08/13/2009 | M | 194,300 | (9) | 04/18/2010 | Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share |
| Employee Stock Options | \$ 1.0315 | 08/13/2009 | M | 500,000 | (9) | 04/18/2010 | Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share |
| Employee Stock Options | \$ 1.0315 | 08/13/2009 | M | 500,000 | (9) | 04/18/2010 | Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| KOTICK ROBERT A C/O ACTIVISION BLIZZARD, INC. 3100 OCEAN PARK BOULEVARD SANTA MONICA, CA 90405 | X | | President & CEO | |

Signatures

/s/ Robert A. Kotick 08/14/2009

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
 - (1) The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The prices actually received for the stock ranged from \$12.50 to \$12.53 per share. Mr. Kotick 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) The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The prices actually received for the stock ranged from \$12.50 to \$12.55 per share. Mr. Kotick 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.
 - (3) The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The prices actually received for the stock ranged from \$12.45 to \$12.4925 per share. Mr. Kotick has provided to the Company and, upon request, will provide any security holder of the Company or the SEC staff

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information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within that range.

The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The prices actually received for the stock ranged from \$12.33 to \$12.42 per share.

- (4) Mr. Kotick 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.

The price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The prices actually received for the stock ranged from \$12.40 to \$12.45 per share.

- (5) Mr. Kotick 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.

Following the transactions reported on this Form 4, Mr. Kotick directly held 3,109,729 shares of the Company's common stock, consisting of (a) 2,500,000 performance shares of the Company's common stock, (b) 484,849 restricted stock units and (c) 124,880 shares of the Company's common stock.

- (7) Reflects transfer of Employee Stock Options from 75260G Trust to 10122B Trust.
- (8) These options to purchase shares of the Company's common stock were exercisable in full as of April 29, 2004.
- (9) These options to purchase shares of the Company's common stock were exercisable in full as of April 18, 2000.
- (10) Represents options held by the 10122B Trust.

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