Walther Christopher B Form 4 January 03, 2012

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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

(Middle)

(First)

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

BOULEVARD

(City)

(Last)

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Activision Blizzard, Inc. [ATVI]

(Month/Day/Year)

12/31/2011

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Officer (give title below)

Director

Issuer

Other (specify

10% Owner

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Indirect

Chief Legal Officer

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

SANTA MONICA, CA 90405

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4 on((

(Zip)

4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned **Following** Reported

> Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

6. Ownership Form: Direct Beneficial (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 4)

Common Stock, par

per share

value \$0.000001

12/31/2011

F

Code V Amount

D

(A)

(D)

Price

 $40,427 \stackrel{(2)}{=}$

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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amount	t of	Derivative	Deriv
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				Code V	(A) (D)			S	hares		

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. 01/03/2012 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).
 - On December 31, 2011, 25,000 restricted stock units held by Mr. Walther vested. Pursuant to the terms of his restricted stock unit award,
- (1) he elected to have the Company withhold 9,573 of the shares otherwise deliverable to him in order to satisfy the resulting tax withholding obligation.
- Following the transaction reported on this Form 4, Mr. Walther held (a) 15,427 shares of the Company's common stock and (b) 25,000 restricted stock units, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock.

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