

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 *
Sakhnini Humam

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O ACTIVISION BLIZZARD
INC., 3100 OCEAN PARK BLVD
(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)
11/14/2014

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)
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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 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

| 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) |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share | 11/14/2014 | | A | 121,269 (1) | A \$ 0 198,933 (2) | I (3) | Sakhnini Family 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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| Employee Stock Options | \$ 20.1 | 11/14/2014 | | A | 215,210 | ⁽⁴⁾ 11/14/2024 | Common Stock, par value \$0.000001 per share |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Sakhnini Humam C/O ACTIVISION BLIZZARD INC. 3100 OCEAN PARK BLVD SANTA MONICA, CA 90405 | | | Chief Strategy & Talent Ofc | |

Signatures

/s/ Humam Sakhnini
11/18/2014
Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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This grant was for 121,269 performance-vesting restricted stock units, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock. The number assumes maximum performance; target performance would result in a release of 97,015 shares of the Company's common stock. Two-thirds of the restricted stock units vest on March 30, 2017 and the remaining one-third vests on March 30, 2018, in each case based upon the achievement of the performance metrics set forth in Mr. Sakhnini's employment agreement with the Company.

(1) Following the transactions reported on this Form 4, Mr. Sakhnini held, through the Sakhnini Family Trust (a) 25,000 restricted stock units, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock, (b) 146,269 restricted stock units with vesting tied to performance, each representing the right to receive one share of the Company's common stock, and (c) 27,664 shares of the Company's common stock.

(2) Immediately after receiving them, Mr. Sakhnini transferred these securities to the Sakhnini Family Trust.

(3) Two-third of these options vest on March 30, 2017 and the remaining one-third vest on March 30, 2018.

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