Tippl Thomas Form 4 November 10, 2011

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Tippl Thomas**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Issuer

below)

Symbol

Activision Blizzard, Inc. [ATVI]

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Last)

(First) (Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

11/08/2011

Director

10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

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

(Street)

(State)

BOULEVARD

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

Chief Operating Ofcr & CFO

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

SANTA MONICA, CA 90405

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1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ties Acc	quired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Di	sposed	of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and 5)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership
							Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
					<i>(</i> •)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
					or	~ .	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	,		
Common									

808,432 (2)

See footnote.

Stock, par value \$0.000001

(City)

11/08/2011

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7,003

(3)

per share

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	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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					4, and 5)						
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						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date	Title Number			
				C 1 W	(A) (D)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Tippl Thomas C/O ACTIVISION BLIZZARD, INC. 3100 OCEAN PARK BOULEVARD SANTA MONICA, CA 90405			Chief Operating Ofcr & CFO				

Signatures

/s/ Thomas 11/10/2011 **Tippl**

Date **Signature of 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 November 8, 2011, 15,000 restricted stock units held by Mr. Tippl vested. Pursuant to the terms of his restricted stock unit award (1) agreement, he elected to have the Company withhold 7,003 of the shares otherwise deliverable to him in order to satisfy the resulting tax withholding obligation.
- Following the transactions reported on this Form 4, Mr. Tippl (through the Thomas and Laura Tippl Family Trust) held (a) 287,182 shares of the Company's common stock, (b) 90,000 restricted shares of the Company's common stock, (c) 262,500 restricted stock units, each representing the right to receive a share of the Company's common stock, and (d) 168,750 performance-based restricted shares of the Company's common stock.
- (3) These securities are held by the Thomas and Laura Tippl Family Trust.

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