REALNETWORKS INC

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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10/21/2016

Stock

See Instruction

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SLADE MICHAEL B | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | | | | | g | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | |
|---|---------------------|------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------|-------|--------------|--|-----------------------|--------------|
| | | | REALNETWORKS INC [RNWK] | | | | | VK] | (Check all applicable) | | |
| (Last) | (First) (M | (Iiddle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | | | | | | |
| | | | (Month/Da | ay/Year) | | | | | _X_ Director | | 6 Owner |
| 1501 1ST AVENUE S., SUITE 600 | | | 10/21/2016 | | | | | | Officer (gives) | ve titleOth below) | er (specify |
| (Street) 4. I | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| Filed(Mor | | | | (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |
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| SEATTLE, WA 98134 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table | e I - Non-l |)e | erivative S | ecuri | ties Ac | quired, Disposed | of, or Beneficia | lly Owned |
| 1.Title of | 2. Transaction Date | e 2A. Dee | emed | 3. | | 4. Securit | ties | | 5. Amount of | 6. Ownership | 7. Nature of |
| Security | (Month/Day/Year) | Day/Year) Execution Date, if | | TransactionAcquired (A) or | | | | r | Securities | Form: Direct | Indirect |
| (Instr. 3) | | any | | Code | | Disposed | of (D |) | Beneficially | (D) or | Beneficial |
| | | (Month | /Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | r. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | Owned | Indirect (I) | Ownership | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Following | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | | | | (A) | | Reported | | |
| | | | | | | | or | | Transaction(s) | | |
| | | | | Code V | 7 | Amount | (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common | 10/21/2016 | | | М | | 6 190 | ٨ | \$0 | 24 782 | D | |

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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) | ransactionDerivative Expiration Date ode Securities (Month/Day/Yes | | | 7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and | Seci | |
|---|---|---|---|---|--|-------|-----------------------|---|-----------------|--------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | A or N of |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 4.58 <u>(2)</u> | 10/21/2016 | | A | 15,000 | | 10/21/2017 | 10/21/2023 | Common Stock | 1 |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 4.58 <u>(3)</u> | 10/21/2016 | | A | 9,435 | | 10/21/2016 | 10/21/2023 | Common Stock | 9 |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 (4) | 10/21/2016 | | A | 9,825 | | 10/21/2017 <u>(5)</u> | 10/21/2017 | Common Stock | ģ |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 (4) | 10/21/2016 | | A | 6,180 | | 10/21/2016 <u>(6)</u> | 10/21/2016 | Common Stock | |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 (4) | 10/21/2016 | | M | | 6,180 | 10/21/2016 | 10/21/2016 | Common Stock | • |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| Fg | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| SLADE MICHAEL B 1501 1ST AVENUE S. SUITE 600 SEATTLE, WA 98134 | X | | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Drew G. Markham, Attorney-in-fact

**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) Vested restricted stock units were distributed to the reporting person, without payment, in shares of common stock on a unit-for-share basis.

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- The options will vest and become exercisable in 12 substantially equal monthly installments until the options become fully vested and
- (2) exercisable on the first anniversary of the grant date, provided that the reporting individual continues to serve as a director of RealNetworks through such date.
- (3) The stock option was fully vested at the time of grant.
- (4) Converts into common stock on a unit-for-share basis on the share distribution date.
 - The restricted stock units vest in 12 substantially equal monthly installments until fully vested on the first anniversary of the grant date,
- (5) provided that the reporting person continues to serve as a director through such date. The share distribution date applicable to the restricted stock units is the sooner to occur of (1) the first anniversary of the date of grant or (2) the date of separation from the Board.
- (6) The restricted stock units were fully vested at the time of grant.

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