

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>MISTRETTA JOHN J</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>2000 DANIEL ISLAND DRIVE</u>  (Street) <u>CHARLESTON SC 29492</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>BLACKBAUD INC [ BLKB ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>EVP of Human Resources</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>04/05/2017</u>	
		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	04/05/2017		s <sup>(1)</sup>		2,500	D	\$78	77,778	D	

**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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Stock Appreciation Right	\$28.06							(2)	11/09/2018	Common Stock	22,887	22,887	D	
Performance Stock Appreciation Right	\$22.24							(3)	11/05/2019	Common Stock	80,504	80,504	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- The sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan executed by the reporting person on February 27, 2017 and effective on March 6, 2017.
- Represents a stock appreciation right which vested in four equal annual installments beginning on November 10, 2012, subject to continued employment, and shall be settled in stock at time of exercise.
- Represents a performance stock appreciation right ("PSAR") which vested in four equal annual installments beginning on November 6, 2013 since the Issuer maintained a 25% increase in its stock price over \$22.24 for 30 consecutive days prior to November 6, 2013. The PSARs shall be settled in stock at the time of exercise.

**Remarks:**

/s/ Donald R. Reynolds,  
Attorney-in-Fact 04/07/2017  
 \*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* 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).

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