

ELECTRONIC ARTS INC
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
RICCITIELLO JOHN

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 209 REDWOOD SHORES
 PARKWAY
 (Street)

REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ELECTRONIC ARTS INC [ERTS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
05/10/2007

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)
 CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		

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	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nun Sha
			Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code V				
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.9	05/10/2007	A	300,000	<u>(1)</u>	05/10/2017	Common Stock	30
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.9	05/10/2007	A	275,000	<u>(2)</u>	05/10/2017	Common Stock	27
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.9	05/10/2007	A	275,000	<u>(3)</u>	05/10/2017	Common Stock	27

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
RICCITIELLO JOHN 209 REDWOOD SHORES PARKWAY REDWOOD CITY, CA 94065	X		CEO	

Signatures

Flora B. Lee, Attorney-in-Fact for: John
Riccitiello 05/10/2007

**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) Option vests and becomes exercisable as to 24% on April 1, 2008; then vests as to an additional 2% each month thereafter for 38 months.
- (2) Option vests and becomes exercisable as to 100% on April 1, 2010.
- (3) Option vests and becomes exercisable as to 100% on April 1, 2012.

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