BLACKHAWK NETWORK HOLDINGS, INC

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CRUM CHRISTOPHER C	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACKHAWK NETWORK HOLDINGS, INC [HAWK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 6220 STONERIDGE MALL RD	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/19/2015	Director 10% Owner Step of the pelow) Other (specify below) SVP, Sales		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person		
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(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				
Class B Common Stock	03/19/2015		M	1,900	A	\$ 13.63	3,900	D			
Class B Common Stock	03/19/2015		S	1,900	D	\$ 33.54 (1)	2,000	D			
Class B Common Stock	03/19/2015		M	3,000	A	\$ 21.03	5,000	D			
Class B Common	03/19/2015		S	3,000	D	\$ 33.54	2,000	D			

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Stock					(1)		
Class B Common Stock	03/19/2015	M	4,500	A	\$ 18.49	6,500	D
Class B Common Stock	03/19/2015	S	2,020	D	\$ 33.56	4,480	D
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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		tion Derivative Securities) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		ansaction Derivative ode Securities nstr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.63	03/19/2015		M		1,900	(2)	03/09/2017	Class B Common Stock	1,900						
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.03	03/19/2015		M		3,000	(3)	10/18/2018	Class B Common Stock	3,000						
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 18.49	03/19/2015		M		4,500	<u>(4)</u>	05/14/2019	Class B Common Stock	4,500						

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			

Reporting Owners 2 CRUM CHRISTOPHER C 6220 STONERIDGE MALL RD PLEASANTON, CA 94588

SVP, Sales

Signatures

/s/ Suzan S. Rowland, Attorney-in-Fact for Christopher C. Crum

03/23/2015

**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) Transaction executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$33.5401 to \$33.55 per share, inclusive. The price reported in column 4 of Table I above reflects the weighted average sale price per share. The Reporting Person hereby undertakes to provide the SEC staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each respective price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- The shares vest pursuant to the following schedule: Twenty Percent (20%) of the shares subject to the option vest on each of the first, second, third, fourth and fifth anniversary of March 9, 2010, subject to the Reporting Person's continued employment or service relationship with the Issuer on each such vesting date.
- The shares vest pursuant to the following schedule: Twenty Percent (20%) of the shares subject to the option vest on each of the first, second, third, fourth and fifth anniversary of March 14, 2011, subject to the Reporting Person's continued employment or service relationship with the Issuer on each such vesting date.
- The stock appreciation rights (SAR) vest pursuant to the following schedule: Twenty Percent (20%) of the shares subject to the SAR vest on each of the first, second, third, fourth and fifth anniversary of March 14, 2012, subject to the Reporting Person's continued employment or service relationship with the Issuer on each such vesting date.

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