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FORM 4

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

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 *

Harris Jerrold B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

BLACKROCK CREDIT

ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

[BTZ]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

55 EAST 52ND STREET

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Month/Day/Year)

07/15/2016

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

Issuer

NEW YORK, NY 10055

Security

(Instr. 3)

(State) (Zip) (City) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 4. Securities

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Following Reported

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) 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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of TransactionDerivative Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Expiration Date Underlying Securities**

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8	Securities Acquired (A or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	A)	(Month/Day/	Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	/ (A) (` /	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Performance Rights (1)	<u>(2)</u>	07/15/2016		A	381.34		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	381.34

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting Owner Praint / Praintess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Harris Jerrold B 55 EAST 52ND STREET	X						
NEW YORK, NY 10055							

Signatures

/s/ Eugene Drozdetski as Attorney-in-Fact 07/19/2016

**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) The Performance Rights were accrued under the BlackRock Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (2) One Performance Right is convertible into the cash value of one share of BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust.
- (3) The Performance Rights are to be settled 100% in cash at the deferral period chosen by the reporting person.

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