

SLADE MICHAEL B
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FORM 4

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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 *
SLADE MICHAEL B

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1501 1ST AVENUE S., SUITE 600

(Street)

SEATTLE, WA 98134

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
REALNETWORKS INC [RNWK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
10/21/2017

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)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	10/21/2017		M	V Amount 9,825 A Price \$ 0 (1)	48,581	D	

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)

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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)	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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 4.86 ⁽²⁾	10/21/2017		A	15,000	10/21/2018 10/21/2024	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0 ⁽³⁾	10/21/2017		A	9,259	10/21/2018 ⁽⁴⁾ 10/21/2018	Common Stock
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0 ⁽³⁾	10/21/2017		M	9,825	10/21/2017 ⁽⁴⁾ 10/21/2017	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

/s/ Michael Parham,
attorney-in-fact

10/23/2017

____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.

(2) The options will vest and become exercisable in 12 substantially equal monthly installments until the options become fully vested and exercisable on the first anniversary of the grant date, provided that the reporting individual continues to serve as a director through such date.

(3) Converts into common stock on a unit-for-share basis upon vesting.

(4) The restricted stock units vest in 12 substantially equal monthly installments until fully vested on the first anniversary of the grant date, 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.

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