

BlackRock Inc.
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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 *
Varley John S.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

BLACKROCK, INC., 55 EAST
52ND STREET

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10055

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BlackRock Inc. [BLK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/31/2017

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)
 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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or Price (D)		
Shares Of Common Stock (par Value \$0.01 Per Share)	03/31/2017		A		11 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ 0 2,839 D
Shares Of Common Stock (par Value \$0.01 Per Share)	03/31/2017		A		456 ⁽²⁾	A	\$ 0 3,295 D

Shares Of
Common
Stock (par
Value 03/31/2017 F 143 ⁽³⁾ D \$ 383.51 3,152 D
\$0.01 Per
Share)

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. 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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Varley John S. BLACKROCK, INC. 55 EAST 52ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10055		X		

Signatures

/s/ Daniel R. Waltcher as Attorney-in-Fact for John S. Varley

04/04/2017

**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) Common Stock granted to Nonemployee Directors under the Second Amended and Restated BlackRock, Inc. 1999 Stock Award and Incentive Plan (the "Plan"), based on \$383.51 per share which was the closing price of the stock on March 31, 2017
Restricted Stock Units granted to Nonemployee Directors under the Plan, based on \$383.51 per share which was the closing price per share of the Common Stock on March 31, 2017. Each Restricted Stock Unit is payable solely by delivery of an equal number of shares of Common Stock, is immediately vested and will not be settled until the earlier of 3 years from grant or departure from the Board of Directors.
- (2) Represents the withholding by BlackRock of Common Stock to satisfy tax obligation on the vesting of the reporting person's Restricted Stock Units granted under the Plan.
- (3)

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