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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Durant David E

(Last) (First) Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

04/18/2013

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

BLACKHAWK NETWORK HOLDINGS, INC

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4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

C/O BLACKHAWK NETWORK HOLDINGS INC.. 6220 STONERIDGE MALL ROAD

(Middle)

(Street)

(Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner

X_ Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) General Counsel & Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

PLEASANTON. CAÂ 94588

(State) (City) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

(I) (Instr. 5)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying **Derivative Security** (Instr. 4)

Conversion or Exercise Price of

5. Ownership Form of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Security: Derivative Direct (D) Security

(Instr. 4)

Title

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Class B Common Stock	(1)	(1)	Class A Common Stock	5,794	\$ 0	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	04/25/2015	Class B Common Stock	2,000	\$ 6.63	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(3)	03/09/2017	Class B Common Stock	5,700	\$ 13.63	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(4)	10/18/2018	Class B Common Stock	17,500	\$ 21.03	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(5)	03/26/2020	Class B Common Stock	22,500	\$ 20	D	Â
Stock Appreciation Rights	(6)	05/14/2019	Class B Common Stock	22,500	\$ 18.49	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Durant David E							
C/O BLACKHAWK NETWORK HOLDINGS INC. 6220 STONERIDGE MALL ROAD	Â	Â	General Counsel & Secretary	Â			
PLEASANTON, CA 94588							

Signatures

/s/ Marcia Peterson, as Attorney-in-Fact for David E.

Durant

04/18/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- Each share of Class B Common Stock is convertible at any time at the option of the Reporting Person into one share of Class A Common (1) Stock and has no expiration date. Class B Common Stock will convert automatically into Class A Common Stock upon the occurrence of a Conversion Event, as such term is defined in section 3(a)(ii) of the Issuer's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation.
- (2) The shares subject to this option are fully vested and exercisable.
- 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.

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- 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 shares vest pursuant to the following schedule: Twenty-Five Percent (25%) of the shares subject to the option vest on each of the (5) first, second, third, and fourth anniversary of March 26, 2013, 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, 2012, subject to the Reporting Person's continued employment or service relationship with the Issuer on each such vesting date.

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