

TIERNEY THOMAS J  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
TIERNEY THOMAS J

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
08/17/2012

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

C/O EBAY INC., 2145 HAMILTON AVE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

SAN JOSE, CA 95125

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	08/17/2012		M	15,000 A	\$ 30.51 19,000	D	
Common Stock	08/17/2012		S	15,000 D	\$ 46.5 4,000	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)

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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 30.51	08/17/2012		M	15,000	<u>(1)</u>	06/13/2013	Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0					<u>(2)</u>	06/26/2013	Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0					<u>(3)</u>	08/01/2015	Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0					<u>(4)</u>	11/01/2015	Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0					<u>(5)</u>	02/01/2016	Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0					<u>(6)</u>	05/01/2016	Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0					<u>(7)</u>	08/01/2016	Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0					<u>(8)</u>	11/01/2016	Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0					<u>(9)</u>	02/01/2017	Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0					<u>(10)</u>	05/01/2017	Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0					<u>(11)</u>	08/01/2017 <sup>(11)</sup>	Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0					<u>(11)</u>	11/01/2017 <sup>(11)</sup>	Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0					<u>(11)</u>	02/01/2018 <sup>(11)</sup>	Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0					<u>(11)</u>	05/01/2018 <sup>(11)</sup>	Common Stock
	\$ 0					<u>(12)</u>	06/19/2018 <sup>(12)</sup>	

Deferred Stock Units					Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0	(13)	08/01/2018 <sup>(13)</sup>		Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0	(11)	11/01/2018 <sup>(11)</sup>		Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0	(11)	02/01/2019 <sup>(11)</sup>		Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0	(12)	04/29/2019 <sup>(12)</sup>		Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0	(12)	04/29/2020 <sup>(12)</sup>		Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0	(14)	04/28/2021 <sup>(14)</sup>		Common Stock
Deferred Stock Units	\$ 0	(14)	04/26/2022 <sup>(14)</sup>		Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.47	(15)	04/29/2016		Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.24	(15)	04/29/2017		Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 29.17	(15)	06/19/2015		Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 31.61	(1)	06/14/2014		Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.44	(1)	06/23/2015		Common Stock
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 44.37	(1)	06/24/2014		Common Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
TIERNEY THOMAS J C/O EBAY INC. 2145 HAMILTON AVE	X			

SAN JOSE, CA 95125

## Signatures

Thomas J.  
Tierney

08/18/2012

\*\*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) Options become exercisable as to 25% on the one year anniversary date of the grant and 1/48th monthly thereafter.
- The reporting person has received an exempt award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") under the Company's 2003 Deferred Stock Unit Plan which is a right to receive shares of common stock of the Issuer upon termination of service as a Director of the Company subject to the terms and conditions of the DSU Award Agreement. The DSUs becomes vested as to 25% on the one year anniversary of the grant and 1/48th monthly thereafter, subject to the terms and conditions of the DSU Award Agreement. The DSU expires the later of 6/26/2013 or later if the reporting person is still in continuous service as a Director on such date.
- (2) The reporting person has received an exempt award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") under the Company's 2003 Deferred Stock Unit Plan, as amended. DSUs represent a right to receive shares of the Company's common stock (or, in the sole discretion of the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors, cash, securities or other property equal to the fair market value thereof) upon termination of service as a Director of the Company. The reporting person has elected to receive DSUs in lieu of the annual retainer fees payable for services on the Company's Board of Directors and any committees thereof. The DSUs are awarded on the date such fees would otherwise be payable (i.e., quarterly in arrears). The DSUs are immediately vested and expire on 8/1/2015, or later if the reporting person is still in continuous service as a Director of the Company on such date.
- (3) The reporting person has received an exempt award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") under the Company's 2003 Deferred Stock Unit Plan, as amended. DSUs represent a right to receive shares of the Company's common stock (or, in the sole discretion of the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors, cash, securities or other property equal to the fair market value thereof) upon termination of service as a Director of the Company. The reporting person has elected to receive DSUs in lieu of the annual retainer fees payable for services on the Company's Board of Directors and any committees thereof. The DSUs are awarded on the date such fees would otherwise be payable (i.e., quarterly in arrears). The DSUs are immediately vested and expire on 11/1/2015, or later if the reporting person is still in continuous service as a Director of the Company on such date.
- (4) The reporting person has received an exempt award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") under the Company's 2003 Deferred Stock Unit Plan, as amended. DSUs represent a right to receive shares of the Company's common stock (or, in the sole discretion of the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors, cash, securities or other property equal to the fair market value thereof) upon termination of service as a Director of the Company. The reporting person has elected to receive DSUs in lieu of the annual retainer fees payable for services on the Company's Board of Directors and any committees thereof. The DSUs are awarded on the date such fees would otherwise be payable (i.e., quarterly in arrears). The DSUs are immediately vested and expire on 2/1/2016, or later if the reporting person is still in continuous service as a Director of the Company on such date.
- (5) The reporting person has received an exempt award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") under the Company's 2003 Deferred Stock Unit Plan, as amended. DSUs represent a right to receive shares of the Company's common stock (or, in the sole discretion of the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors, cash, securities or other property equal to the fair market value thereof) upon termination of service as a Director of the Company. The reporting person has elected to receive DSUs in lieu of the annual retainer fees payable for services on the Company's Board of Directors and any committees thereof. The DSUs are awarded on the date such fees would otherwise be payable (i.e., quarterly in arrears). The DSUs are immediately vested and expire on 5/1/2016, or later if the reporting person is still in continuous service as a Director of the Company on such date.
- (6) The reporting person has received an exempt award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") under the Company's 2003 Deferred Stock Unit Plan, as amended. DSUs represent a right to receive shares of the Company's common stock (or, in the sole discretion of the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors, cash, securities or other property equal to the fair market value thereof) upon termination of service as a Director of the Company. The reporting person has elected to receive DSUs in lieu of the annual retainer fees payable for services on the Company's Board of Directors and any committees thereof. The DSUs are awarded on the date such fees would otherwise be payable (i.e., quarterly in arrears). The DSUs are immediately vested and expire on 8/1/2016, or later if the reporting person is still in continuous service as a Director of the Company on such date.
- (7) The reporting person has received an exempt award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") under the Company's 2003 Deferred Stock Unit Plan, as amended. DSUs represent a right to receive shares of the Company's common stock (or, in the sole discretion of the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors, cash, securities or other property equal to the fair market value thereof) upon termination of service as a Director of the Company. The reporting person has elected to receive DSUs in lieu of the annual retainer fees payable for services on the Company's Board of Directors and any committees thereof. The DSUs are awarded on the date such fees would otherwise be payable (i.e., quarterly in arrears). The DSUs are immediately vested and expire on 8/1/2016, or later if the reporting person is still in continuous service as a Director of the Company on such date.
- (8) The reporting person has received an exempt award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") under the Company's 2003 Deferred Stock Unit Plan, as amended. DSUs represent a right to receive shares of the Company's common stock (or, in the sole discretion of the

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Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors, cash, securities or other property equal to the fair market value thereof upon termination of service as a Director of the Company. The reporting person has elected to receive DSUs in lieu of the annual retainer fees payable for services on the Company's Board of Directors and any committees thereof. The DSUs are awarded on the date such fees would otherwise be payable (i.e., quarterly in arrears). The DSUs are immediately vested and expire on 11/01/2016, or later if the reporting person is still in continuous service as a Director of the Company on such date.

The reporting person has received an exempt award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") under the Company's 2003 Deferred Stock Unit Plan, as amended. DSUs represent a right to receive shares of the Company's common stock (or, in the sole discretion of the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors, cash, securities or other property equal to the fair market value thereof) upon termination of service as a Director of the Company. The reporting person has elected to receive DSUs in lieu of the annual retainer fees payable for services on the Company's Board of Directors and any committees thereof. The DSUs are awarded on the date such fees would otherwise be payable (i.e., quarterly in arrears). The DSUs are immediately vested and expire on 2/01/2017, or later if the reporting person is still in continuous service as a Director of the Company on such date.

(9)

The reporting person has received an exempt award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") under the Company's 2003 Deferred Stock Unit Plan, as amended. DSUs represent a right to receive shares of the Company's common stock (or, in the sole discretion of the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors, cash, securities or other property equal to the fair market value thereof) upon termination of service as a Director of the Company. The reporting person has elected to receive DSUs in lieu of the annual retainer fees payable for services on the Company's Board of Directors and any committees thereof. The DSUs are awarded on the date such fees would otherwise be payable (i.e., quarterly in arrears). The DSUs are immediately vested and expire on 5/01/2017, or later if the reporting person is still in continuous service as a Director of the Company on such date.

(10)

The reporting person has received an exempt award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") under the Company's 2003 Deferred Stock Unit Plan, as amended. DSUs represent a right to receive shares of the Company's common stock (or, in the sole discretion of the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors, cash, securities or other property equal to the fair market value thereof) upon termination of service as a Director of the Company. The reporting person has elected to receive DSUs in lieu of the annual retainer fees payable for services on the Company's Board of Directors and any committees thereof. The DSUs are awarded on the date such fees would otherwise be payable (i.e., quarterly in arrears). The DSUs are immediately vested.

(11)

In connection with the reporting person's continuous service as a non-employee director of the Company, such reporting person has been granted an exempt award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") at the time of the Company's annual meeting of stockholders. The number of DSUs granted represents the quotient of (A) \$110,000 divided by (B) the Company's closing stock price on the date of grant. The DSUs become vested as to 25% on the one year anniversary of the grant and 1/48th monthly thereafter, provided that the reporting person continues as a director or consultant of the Company through such date.

(12)

The reporting person has received an exempt award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") under the Company's 2008 Equity Incentive Award Plan. DSUs represent a right to receive shares of the Company's common stock (or, in the sole discretion of the Compensation Committee of the Company's Board of Directors, cash, securities or other property equal to the fair market value thereof) upon termination of service as a Director of the Company. The reporting person has elected to receive DSUs in lieu of the annual retainer fees payable for services on the Company's Board of Directors and any committees thereof. The DSUs are awarded on the date such fees would otherwise be payable (i.e., quarterly in arrears). The DSUs are immediately vested.

(13)

In connection with the reporting person's continuous service as a non-employee director of the Company, such reporting person has been granted an exempt award of Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") at the time of the Company's annual meeting of stockholders. The number of DSUs granted represents the quotient of (A) \$220,000 divided by (B) the Company's closing stock price on the date of grant. The DSUs become vested as to 25% on the one year anniversary of the grant and 1/48th monthly thereafter, provided that the reporting person continues as a director or consultant of the Company through such date.

(14)

In connection with the reporting person's continuous service as a non-employee director of the Company, such reporting person has been granted options at the time of the Company's annual meeting of stockholders. The number of options granted is equal to the net present value of \$110,000, calculated using the Black-Scholes valuation methodology on the date of grant. Options become exercisable as to 25% on the one year anniversary date of the grant and 1/48th monthly thereafter, provided that the reporting person continues as a director or consultant of the Company through such date.

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