Byron Michael Form 4 September 21, 2012

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Byron Michael

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

NVIDIA CORP [NVDA] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

C/O NVIDIA

CORPORATION, 2701 SAN TOMAS EXPRESSWAY

(Month/Day/Year) Director X_ Officer (give title 09/19/2012

Other (specify below)

Principal Accounting Officer

(Street)

(State)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

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SANTA CLARA, CA 95050

(City)

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1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio		Securities Acquired) or Disposed of (D)		5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	(1.101111, 2 u), 1 cui)	any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					()		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	09/19/2012		A	5,000	A	\$ 0 (1)	26,136 (2)	D	
Common Stock	09/19/2012		F	918 (3)	D	\$ 13.71	25,218	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 1 9 (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.71	09/19/2012		A	15,000	<u>(4)</u>	09/18/2022	Common Stock	15,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Oth

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Byron Michael C/O NVIDIA CORPORATION 2701 SAN TOMAS EXPRESSWAY SANTA CLARA, CA 95050

Principal Accounting Officer

Signatures

/s/ Rebecca Peters, Attorney-in-Fact for Michael Byron

09/21/2012

**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).
- The shares represent restricted stock units that were received as an award, for no consideration. The restricted stock unit shall vest as to (1) 25% of the shares on September 18, 2013 and 12.5% of the shares every six months thereafter, such that the shares are fully vested on approximately the four (4) year anniversary of the date of grant.
- (2) Includes 701 shares purchased pursuant to the Issuer's Employee Stock Purchase Plan on August 31, 2012 and 2,500 shares issued upon the vesting of restricted stock units previously reported on a Form 4.
- (3) Represents shares of the Issuer's common stock withheld by the Issuer to satisfy taxes due by the Reporting Person in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units previously reported on a Form 4.
- (4) The option shall vest as to 25% of the shares on September 19, 2013 and 6.25% of the shares at the end of each quarterly period thereafter, such that the option is fully vested on the four (4) year anniversary of the date of grant.

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