BOYD GAMING CORP

Form 4

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Common

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> BOUGHNER ROBERT L

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Syllide

(Middle)

(Zip)

BOYD GAMING CORP [BYD]

(Check all applicable)

3883 HOWARD HUGHES

(First)

(Street)

(State)

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

(Month/Day/Year) 12/10/2014

X Director _____10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title _____ Other (specify below)

PARKWAY, NINTH FLOOR

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

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

LAS VEGAS, NV 89169

1.Title of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Indirect
Beneficially (D) or Beneficial
Owned Indirect (I) Ownership
Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)
Reported

(A) or Code V Amount (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

A 33,473 A \$0 202,267

Stock 12/10/2014 A $\frac{33,473}{(1)}$ A $\frac{40}{(1)}$ 202,267 D

Common Stock 252,769 I By Trust

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 or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration I (Month/Day	Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.57	12/10/2014		A	33,473	<u>(2)</u>	12/10/2024	Common Stock	33,473

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BOUGHNER ROBERT L 3883 HOWARD HUGHES PARKWAY NINTH FLOOR LAS VEGAS, NV 89169	X		Executive Vice President			

Signatures

Brian A. Larson, Attorney-in-Fact for Robert L.
Boughner
12/12/2014

**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 Reporting Person was awarded 33,473 Restricted Stock Units for no consideration pursuant to the Issuer's 2012 Stock Incentive Plan.

 Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Issuer common stock upon vesting. The Restricted Stock Units will vest in full upon the third anniversary of the date of award. The Restricted Stock Units are subject to the forfeiture and other
- Units will vest in full upon the third anniversary of the date of award. The Restricted Stock Units are subject to the forfeiture and other terms and conditions contained in the award agreement and the 2012 Stock Incentive Plan.
- Options granted under the Issuer's 2012 Stock Incentive Plan. Vesting plan calls for options to become exercisable at the rate of 33.333% per year on the first day of each successive 12 month period commencing one year from grant date.

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