#### **BOYD GAMING CORP**

Form 4

January 11, 2016

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **BOYD WILLIAM S** 

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

**BOYD GAMING CORP [BYD]** 

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

\_X\_\_ 10% Owner

3883 HOWARD HUGHES PARKWAY, NINTH FLOOR (Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_\_ Director \_X\_\_ Officer (give title \_ \_\_ Other (specify below)

01/07/2016

**Executive Chairman** 

4. If Amendment, Date Original

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

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

LAS VEGAS, NV 89169

(City)	(State) (	e 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)	Code		4. Securities nAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or Amount (D) Price			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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	01/07/2016		G	V		D D	( <u>1</u> )	19,083,910	I	By Trust (2)	
Common Stock								178,930	D		
Common Stock								212,654	I	By Limited Partnership * (3)	
Common Stock								153,117	I	By Spouse *	

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4.	5. onNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Titl		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	;		Under Securi	nderlying curities astr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

**BOYD WILLIAM S** 3883 HOWARD HUGHES PARKWAY NINTH FLOOR LAS VEGAS, NV 89169

X X

**Executive Chairman** 

## **Signatures**

Brian A. Larson, Attorney-in-Fact for William S. Boyd

01/11/2016

\*\*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).

On January 7, 2016, the reporting person gifted 4,168 shares of Common Stock (the "Shares") from William S. Boyd Gaming Properties Trust ("WSBGPT") to the education trusts of the following grandchildren in the amounts specified in brackets: The Aysia

- Lynn Boyd 1997 Education Trust (521 shares), The Samuel Joseph Boyd, Jr., 1997 Education Trust (521 shares), The Taylor Joseph **(1)** Boyd 1997 Education Trust (521 shares), The Josef William Boyd 1997 Education Trust (521 shares), The T'Mir Kathleen Boyd 1997 Education Trust (521 shares), The William Samuel Boyd 1997 Education Trust (521 shares), The Sean William Johnson 1997 Education Trust (521 shares), and The Justin Boyd 1999 Education Trust (521 shares).
- By William S. Boyd Gaming Properties Trust ("WSBGPT") of which reporting person is the trustee, settlor and beneficiary. **(2)**
- By BG-09 Limited Partnership, of which each of the William S. Boyd Gaming Properties Trust ("WSBGPT") and the Marianne Boyd **(3)** Gaming Properties Trust ("MBGPT") are the general partners thereof.

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