JOHNSON MARIANNE BOYD

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FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading JOHNSON MARIANNE BOYD Issuer Symbol **BOYD GAMING CORP [BYD]** (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title 3883 HOWARD HUGHES 03/14/2018 below) PARKWAY, NINTH FLOOR **Executive Vice President** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting LAS VEGAS, NV 89169 Person

(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. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4) I)		
C			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)				
Common Stock	03/14/2018		M	21,757	A	\$ 11.57	252,930	D			
Common Stock	03/14/2018		S	21,757	D	\$ 33.8742 (1)	231,173	D			
Common Stock	03/14/2018		M	17,006	A	\$ 6.7	248,179	D			
Common Stock	03/14/2018		S	17,006	D	\$ 33.8742 (1)	231,173	D			
	03/14/2018		M	51,020	A	\$ 9.86	282,193	D			

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Common Stock										
Common Stock	03/14/2018	3	S 5	1,020 I	\$ 33.8742 (1)	231,173	D			
Common Stock					_	39,439	I	By Trust *	<u>(4)</u>	
Common Stock						39,439	I	By Trust *	(5)	
Common Stock						38,149	I	By Trust *	<u>(6)</u>	
Common Stock						39,439	I	By Trust *	<u>(7)</u>	
Common Stock						37,949	I	By Trust *	(8)	
Common Stock						24,041	I	By Trust *	<u>(9)</u>	
Common Stock						91,324	I	By Trust *		
Common Stock						5,182,040	I	By Limited Partnership		
Common Stock						1,995,778	I	By Trust (1)	2)	
Reminder: R	eport on a sepa	rate line for each class	s of securities benefic	-		<u>-</u>				
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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)	ative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactiorDerivative ity or Exercise any Code Securities		Expiration I (Month/Day)	Date	7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Securities				
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number	

Code V (A) (D)

of Shares

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Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.57	03/14/2018	Ν	1 2	1,757	(3)	12/10/2024	Common Stock	21,757
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 6.7	03/14/2018	N	1 17	7,006	(2)	12/07/2021	Common Stock	17,006
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.86	03/14/2018	N	1 51	1,020	(3)	11/07/2023	Common Stock	51,020

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
JOHNSON MARIANNE BOYD 3883 HOWARD HUGHES PARKWAY NINTH FLOOR LAS VEGAS, NV 89169	X		Executive Vice President			
Signatures						

Signatures

Brian A. Larson, Attorney-in-Fact for Marianne Boyd Johnson 03/16/2018

**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).
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$33.75 to \$34.08. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- Options granted under Boyd Gaming Corporation's 2002 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.
- Options granted under Boyd Gaming Corporation'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.
- (4) By Marianne Boyd Johnson as Trustee of the Aysia Lynn Boyd Education Trust Dated 7/1/97.
- (5) By Marianne Boyd Johnson as Trustee of the Taylor Joseph Boyd Education Trust Dated 7/1/97.
- (6) By Marianne Boyd Johnson as Trustee of the William Samuel Boyd Education Trust Dated 7/1/97.
- (7) By Marianne Boyd Johnson as Trustee of the T'Mir Kathleen Boyd Education Trust Dated 7/1/97.
- (8) By Marianne Boyd Johnson as Trustee of the Josef William Boyd Education Trust Dated 7/1/97.

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- (9) By Marianne Boyd Johnson as Trustee of the Justin Boyd Education Trust Dated 11/1/99.
- (10) By the Johnson Children's Trust Dated 6/24/96, Bruno Mark, Trustee
- (11) By BG-00 Limited Partnership, of which the Marianne Boyd Gaming Properties Trust, of which the reporting person is the trustee, settlor and beneficiary, is the general partner thereof.
- (12) By the Marianne E. Boyd Johnson Gaming Properties Trust, of which the reporting person is the Trustee, Settlor and Beneficiary, excluding shares held by BG-00 Limited Partnership, which are included in note (11) hereof.

Remarks:

* The reporting person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of any securities of the Issuer except for those securities that Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.