BLUCORA, INC. Form 4 January 03, 2014

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

Washington, D.C. 20549

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(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 Ruckelshaus William J Issuer Symbol BLUCORA, INC. [BCOR] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) _X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify 10900 NE 8TH STREET, SUITE 01/02/2014 below) 800 President and CEO (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 BELLEVUE, WA 98004 Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	Perivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or			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	01/02/2014		Code V F	Amount 4,839	(D)	Price \$ 28.73	159,189	D	
Common Stock	01/02/2014		A	20,361	A	\$0	179,550	D	

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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 Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		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
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 28.73	01/02/2014		A	161,538	<u>(1)</u>	01/02/2021	Common Stock	161,538

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Names	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Ruckelshaus William J 10900 NE 8TH STREET, SUITE 800 BELLEVUE, WA 98004	X		President and CEO				

Signatures

/s/ Linda Schoemaker, as
Attorney-in-Fact
01/03/2014

**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 option vests according to the following schedule: 33.33% vests on January 2, 2015, and approximately 16.67% vests at the end of each six-month period thereafter, such that the option will be fully vested on January 2, 2017.

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