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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FINK LAURENCE

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**BLACKROCK, INC., 55 EAST
52ND STREET**

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10055

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
BlackRock Inc. [BLK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/19/2016

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
Chairman and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership Indirect Beneficial (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Shares Of Common Stock (par Value \$0.01 Per Share)	01/19/2016		A	13,828 (1)	A \$ 0	1,197,938.28 (2)	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Beneficially (Instr. 5)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FINK LAURENCE BLACKROCK, INC. 55 EAST 52ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10055	X		Chairman and CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Daniel R. Waltcher as Attorney-in-Fact for Laurence Fink 01/21/2016

__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).
- (1) Reflects an award value of \$4,095,000 converted to a number of shares of Restricted Stock by dividing the approved award value by \$296.120, which was the average of the high and low price per share of Common Stock on January 19, 2016. This grant was approved by the Management Development and Compensation Committee on January 13, 2016. Shares of Restricted Stock vest in equal installments on 1/31/17, 1/31/18 and 1/31/19.
- (2) Includes 1,326 shares of Common Stock held in the BlackRock, Inc. Employee Retirement Savings Plan. Also includes (i) 10,962 Restricted Stock Units vesting on 1/31/16, (ii) 18,596 Restricted Stock Units vesting in equal installments on 1/31/16 and 1/31/17, (iii) 11,618 shares of Restricted Stock vesting in equal installments on 1/31/16, 1/31/17 and 1/31/18, (iv) 13,828 shares of Restricted Stock vesting in equal installments on 1/31/17, 1/31/18 and 1/31/19, (v) 32,766 Restricted Stock Units awarded on 1/20/12 that will vest in whole or in part only on the satisfaction of one or more previously-disclosed Common Stock price targets, but which may not vest before 1/31/16 and will expire on 1/31/18 to the extent not then vested, (vi) 37,472 Restricted Stock Units awarded on 1/18/13 that will vest in whole or in part only on the satisfaction of one or more previously-disclosed Common Stock price targets, but which may not vest before 1/31/17 and will expire on 1/31/19 to the extent not then vested and (vii) 24,322 Restricted Stock Units awarded on 1/17/14 that will vest in whole or in part only on the satisfaction of one or more previously-disclosed Common Stock price targets, but which may not vest before 1/31/18 and will expire on 1/31/20 to the extent not then vested. Each share of Restricted Stock or Restricted Stock Unit is payable solely by

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delivery of an equal number of shares of Common Stock.

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