FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
   Patchel Francis P
   (Last)  (First)  (Middle)
   500 BEN FRANKLIN CT.
   (Street)  SAN MATEO  CA  94401
   (City)  (State)  (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
   Backblaze, Inc. [ BLZE ]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
   06/01/2023

4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)
   06/01/2023

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
   Director
   10% Owner
   Other (specify below)
   Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
   X Form filed by One Reporting Person
   Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication
   Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.

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

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)</th>
<th>2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)</th>
<th>2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)</th>
<th>3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)</th>
<th>4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)</th>
<th>5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)</th>
<th>6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)</th>
<th>7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Class A Common Stock</td>
<td>06/01/2023</td>
<td>C</td>
<td>3,000</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>$0</td>
<td>105,988</td>
<td>D</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Class A Common Stock</td>
<td>06/01/2023</td>
<td>D(1)</td>
<td>3,000</td>
<td>$4.26(2)</td>
<td>$105,988</td>
<td>102,988</td>
<td>D</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)</th>
<th>2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security</th>
<th>3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)</th>
<th>3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)</th>
<th>4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)</th>
<th>5. Number of Derivatives Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)</th>
<th>6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)</th>
<th>7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)</th>
<th>8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)</th>
<th>9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)</th>
<th>10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)</th>
<th>11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)</th>
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<tr>
<td>Stock Option (right to buy)</td>
<td>$2.61</td>
<td>06/01/2023</td>
<td>M</td>
<td>3,000</td>
<td>(3)</td>
<td>04/20/2030</td>
<td>Class B Common Stock</td>
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<td>$0</td>
<td>266,060</td>
<td>D</td>
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<tr>
<td>Class B Common Stock</td>
<td>(4)</td>
<td>06/01/2023</td>
<td>M</td>
<td>3,000</td>
<td>(4)</td>
<td>(4)</td>
<td>Class A Common Stock</td>
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<td>C</td>
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<td>Class A Common Stock</td>
<td>3,000</td>
<td>$0</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>D</td>
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Explanation of Responses:
1. The sales reported were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person.
2. The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from $4.09 to $4.33, inclusive. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth herein.
3. The options are subject to a service-based vesting requirement, which shall be satisfied over a four-year period. 25% of the options vested on March 1, 2021 and 1/48th of the options vest monthly thereafter, subject to the Reporting Person's continuous service with the issuer. The options are exercisable into shares of Class B Common Stock, which are convertible on a one-to-one basis into shares of Class A Common Stock at the option of the holder.
4. Each share of Class B Common Stock is convertible into one share of Class A Common Stock at any time at the option of the Reporting Person and has no expiration date.

Remarks:
   /s/ Thomas MacMitchell - Attorney-in-Fact  06/02/2023
   ** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.
   * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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