**United States Securities and Exchange Commission**

**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
   
   **Budman Gleb**
   
   (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)
   
   04/17/2023

4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)
   
   04/18/2023

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
   
   X Director
   
   X 10% Owner
   
   **CEO and Chairperson**

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

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**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.

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

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<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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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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<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>
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<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>
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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 $4.58 to $4.80, 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 price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from $4.51 to $4.71, 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.
4. The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from $4.45 to $4.57, 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.

**Remarks:**

/\ Thomas MacMitchell -

Attorney-in-Fact 04/19/2023

**Signature of Reporting Person**

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). ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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