Nielsen Holdings plc Form 4 February 22, 2016

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Nielsen Holdings plc [NLSN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
(Month/Day/Year) 02/18/2016	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Human Resources Officer			
4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	Symbol Nielsen Holdings plc [NLSN] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/18/2016 4. If Amendment, Date Original			

(City)	(State) 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)	tion Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/18/2016		A	2,247 (1)	A	\$ 0	44,900.91	D	
Common Stock	02/18/2016		A	20,032 (2)	A	\$ 0	64,932.91	D	
Common Stock	02/18/2016		F	8,553 (3)	D	\$ 47.85	56,379.91	D	
Common Stock							500	I	By Children

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)

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						Exercisable Date	Title Number				
							Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

FINN MARY ELIZABETH C/O NIELSEN N.V. 85 BROAD STREET NEW YORK, NY 10004

Chief Human Resources Officer

Signatures

/s/Harris Black, Authorized Signatory

02/22/2016

**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) Represents restricted stock units of the Issuer, with a 2 year pro rata annual vesting provision beginning one year after the date of grant.
- (2) Represents common stock of the issuer acquired upon settlement of a performance-based restricted stock award previously granted to the Reporting Person.
- This number represents an estimate of the number of shares of stock withheld to satisfy the Reporting Person's tax liability obligations in connection with the vesting of the performance share award and is subject to change as a result of the final calculation. The Reporting Person undertakes to amend this Form 4, if necessary, following the final calculation.
- (4) The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held by the children except to the extent of her pecuniary interest therein.

Reporting Owners 2

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