

**FORM 3****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE  
COMMISSION****Washington, D.C. 20549****INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person Itzkowitz Jay	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 04/30/2015	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Global Eagle Entertainment Inc. [ENT]
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O GLOBAL EAGLE ENTERTAINMENT INC., 4553 GLENCOE AVENUE		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) ____ Director _____ 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give _____ Other (specify title below) below) Senior VP, Gen. Counsel & Sec.
(Street) LOS ANGELES, CA 90292		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
(City) (State) (Zip)	<b>Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned</b>	
6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock <a href="#">(1)</a>	6,008	D	
Common Stock <a href="#">(2)</a>	5,703	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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number.****Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Stock Option (right to buy)	<a href="#">(3)</a>	06/25/2018	Common Stock	315,364	\$ 9.87	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	<a href="#">(4)</a>	03/16/2020	Common Stock	15,800	\$ 13.15	D	

**Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Itzkowitz Jay C/O GLOBAL EAGLE ENTERTAINMENT INC. 4553 GLENCOE AVENUE LOS ANGELES, CA 90292			Senior VP, Gen. Counsel & Sec.	

# Signatures

/s/ Joel L. Rubinstein, Attorney-in-Fact		05/11/2015
<small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small>		<small>Date</small>

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Pursuant to Restricted Stock Units that are expected to vest, subject to the reporting person's continued employment with Global Eagle Entertainment Inc., on September 17, 2015.
- (2) Pursuant to Restricted Stock Units that are expected to vest in four equal annual installments, beginning on March 16, 2016.
- (3) 25% (78,841) underlying shares vested on June 25, 2014, and the remaining underlying shares have and are expected to continue to vest monthly on a pro rata basis during the following three years until fully vested.
- (4) The stock options are expected to vest in four equal annual installments, beginning on March 16, 2016.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *See* Instruction 6 for procedure.

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## POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned constitutes and appoints Joel Rubinstein, Elliott Smith and Zachary Swartz as the undersigned's true and lawful attorneys-in-fact and agents, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for the undersigned and in the undersigned's name, place and stead, to sign any and all Securities and Exchange Commission statements of beneficial ownership of securities of Gobal Eagle Entertainment Inc. (the "Company") on Forms 3, 4 and 5 as required under Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and to file the same with all exhibits thereto, and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Company and any stock exchange on which the Company's stock is listed, granting unto said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them, full power and authority to do and perform each act and thing requisite and necessary to be done under said Section 16(a), as fully and to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

A copy of this power of attorney shall be filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The authorization set forth above shall continue in full force and effect until the undersigned revokes such authorization by written instructions to the attorneys-in-fact.

The authority granted hereby shall in no event be deemed to impose or create any duty on behalf of the attorneys-in-fact with respect to the undersigned's obligations to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Dated: April 14, 2015

/s/ Jay Itzkowitz

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Jay Itzkowitz