Gottwald Donald S. Form 4
February 26, 2019

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Repo Gottwald Donald S.	orting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol KAR Auction Services, Inc. [KAR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
C/O: KAR AUCTION SERVICES, INC., 13085 HAMILTON CROSSING BLVD.		(Month/Day/Year) 02/22/2019	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specibelow) below)  CSO & Pres Dgtl Data Mob Sol			
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
CARMEL, IN 46032		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Own			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	<b>D</b> erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			d 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	02/22/2019		M	1,781	A	\$ 0 (1)	37,431.8929 (2)	D	
Common Stock	02/22/2019		F(3)	777	D	\$ 47.06	36,654.8929	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2019		M	1,865	A	\$ 0 (4)	38,519.8929	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2019		F(3)	813	D	\$ 47.06	37,706.8929	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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	orDerivative Exp		Expiration D	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(5)</u>	02/22/2019		M		1,781	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	1,781	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(5)</u>	02/24/2019		M		1,865	<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	Common Stock	1,865	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(5)</u>						(8)	(8)	Common Stock	4,718	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(5)</u>	02/22/2019		A	3,321		<u>(9)</u>	<u>(9)</u>	Common Stock	3,321	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Gottwald Donald S.

C/O: KAR AUCTION SERVICES, INC. 13085 HAMILTON CROSSING BLVD. CARMEL, IN 46032

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**Signatures** 

Rebecca C. Polak as Attorney
In Fact
02/26/2019

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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## **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) Each restricted stock unit is convertible into a share of common stock on a 1-for-1 basis. The restricted stock units vested in common stock on February 22, 2019.
- (2) Includes 1,715 shares acquired (including 86.7969 shares acquired by dividend reinvestment) pursuant to the Company's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) Shares withheld by the Company to satisfy tax withholding requirements.
- (4) Each restricted stock unit is convertible into a share of common stock on a 1-for-1 basis. The restricted stock units vested in common stock on February 24, 2019.
- (5) Each restricted stock unit is convertible into a share of common stock on a 1-for-1 basis.
- These restricted stock units were subject to a time-vesting requirement and vested and settled in common stock as follows: one-third of (6) these restricted stock units vested on February 23, 2017, one-third of these restricted stock units vested on February 22, 2018 and the remaining one-third of these restricted stock units vested on February 22, 2019.
- These restricted stock units remain subject to a time-vesting requirement and are scheduled to vest and settle in common stock as follows: one-third of these restricted stock units vested on February 24, 2018, one-third of these restricted stock units vested on February 24, 2019 and the remaining one-third of these restricted stock units vest on February 24, 2020, assuming continued employment through the applicable vesting date.
- These restricted stock units remain subject to a time-vesting requirement and are scheduled to vest and settle in common stock as follows:
  one-third of these restricted stock units vest on March 2, 2019, one-third of these restricted stock units vest on March 2, 2020 and the remaining one-third of these restricted stock units vest on March 2, 2021, assuming continued employment through the applicable vesting date.
- These restricted stock units remain subject to a time-vesting requirement and are scheduled to vest and settle in common stock as follows: one-third of these restricted stock units vest on February 22, 2020, one-third of these restricted stock units vest on February 22, 2021 and the remaining one-third of these restricted stock units vest on February 22, 2022, assuming continued employment through the applicable vesting date.

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