SAIA INC Form 4 February 09, 2017

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading MASCHMEIER STEPHANIE Issuer Symbol SAIA INC [SAIA] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title 11465 JOHNS CREEK PARKWAY, 02/07/2017 below) below) SUITE 400 Controller (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

JOHNS CREEK, GA 30097

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/07/2017		A	641 (1)	A	\$0	17,339.5	D	
Common Stock	02/07/2017		A	1,398 (2)	A	\$ 0	18,737.5	D	
Common Stock	02/07/2017		F	512 (3)	D	\$ 46.35	18,225.5	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)	Securiti	vative es ed	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
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 46.35	02/07/2017		A	1,630		02/07/2020	02/07/2024	Common Stock	1,630
Phantom Stock	<u>(4)</u>						<u>(5)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	7,136.734
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.28						04/30/2016	04/29/2020	Common Stock	5,925
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.5						02/04/2017	02/03/2021	Common Stock	4,090
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 43.01						02/03/2018	02/03/2022	Common Stock	4,220
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.45						02/08/2019	02/08/2023	Common Stock	6,110

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address			•	
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
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MASCHMEIER STEPHANIE 11465 JOHNS CREEK PARKWAY, SUITE 400 JOHNS CREEK, GA 30097

Controller

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Stephanie R. 02/09/2017 Maschmeier

\*\*Signature of Reporting 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) Restricted shares granted as part of the long-term incentive program approved by the Compensation Committee. The restricted stock award cliff vests in year three.
- (2) Issuance of Performance Unit Awards under the 2011 Omnibus Incentive Plan for the 1/1/14-12/31/16 performance period.
- (3) Shares withheld at officer's election to cover tax liabilities incurred upon the issuance of Performance Unit Awards under the 2011 Omnibus Incentive Plan for the 1/1/14-12/31/16 performance period.
- (4) The conversion rate of this derivative security on February 7, 2017 is 1.2036 resulting in 8,589.59 shares of common stock (underlying security in column 7).
- (5) Immediate
- (6) The shares of phantom stock become payable in the Company's common stock upon reporting person's termination of service as an employee, in accordance with the terms of the Plan.

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