

B. Riley Financial, Inc.
Form 4
July 06, 2017

FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HENDRIX RICHARD J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O B. RILEY FINANCIAL,
INC., 21255 BURBANK BLVD,
SUITE 400**

(Street)

WOODLAND HILLS, CA 91367

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

B. Riley Financial, Inc. [RILY]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)

07/03/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

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

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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	07/03/2017		A	(A) or (D) Amount (1) 3,058	\$ 0	251,654	D
Common Stock	07/03/2017		F	(2) 14,792	\$ 18.35	236,862	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
HENDRIX RICHARD J C/O B. RILEY FINANCIAL, INC., 21255 BURBANK BLVD, SUITE 400 WOODLAND HILLS, CA 91367	X

Signatures

/s/ Richard J.
Hendrix 07/06/2017

__Signature of
Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) Represents non-discretionary formulaic awards of RSUs which are granted on July 3, 2017 to the Reporting Person, and vest on July 3, 2017 pursuant to the Reporting Person's separation agreement. Of these shares, 670 are issued under the 2016 Retention and Incentive Plan, 1,194 are issued under the 2017 One Year Retention and Incentive Plan and 1,194 are issued under the 2017 Two Year Retention and Incentive Plan.

(2) Represents shares of common stock of B. Riley withheld by the Company and remitted on behalf of the Reporting Person for payment of income taxes incurred for compensation received by the Reporting Person in connection with the issuance of shares of common stock of B. Riley resulting from separation of service as of July 3rd, 2017.

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