

# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
<b>Holm Kieran Colquhoun</b>			<b>RITCHIE BROS AUCTIONEERS INC [RBA]</b>			<input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) <b>SVP, Ops Excl &amp; Efficiencies</b>		
(Last) (First) (Middle) <b>C/O RITCHIE BROS. AUCTIONEERS INC., 9500 GLENLYON PARKWAY</b>			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY) <b>8/22/2018</b>					
(Street) <b>BURNABY, A1 V5J 0C6</b>			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY) <b>8/24/2018</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		
(City) (State) (Zip)								

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Shares	8/22/2018		M		8600	A	\$21.82	11278	D	
Common Shares	8/22/2018		M		7100	A	\$21.34	18378	D	
Common Shares	8/22/2018		S		12440	D	\$38.24	5938	D	
Common Shares	8/22/2018		S		800	D	\$38.29	3226	I	Employee Stock Purchase Plan
Common Shares								1724	I	Long-Term Investment

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

1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. 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		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$21.82	8/22/2018		M		8600		(1)	3/11/2020	Common Shares	8600	\$0.00	0	D	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$21.34	8/22/2018		M		7100		(2)	3/5/2023	Common Shares	7100	\$0.00	0	D	

### Explanation of Responses:

- (1) The option was granted on March 11, 2010 and vested in three equal annual installments beginning on March 11, 2011.  
(2) The option was granted on March 5, 2013 and vested in three equal annual installments beginning on March 5, 2014.

### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
<b>Holm Kieran Colquhoun C/O RITCHIE BROS. AUCTIONEERS INC. 9500 GLENLYON PARKWAY BURNABY, A1 V5J 0C6</b>			<b>SVP, Ops Excl &amp; Efficiencies</b>	

Signatures

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

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

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