

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

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# INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *  Castagnetto Michael D.		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (MM/DD/YYYY) 1/1/2020		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol C. H. ROBINSON WORLDWIDE, INC. [CHRW]				
(Last) (First) (Middle)  14701 CHARLSON ROAD		ationship of	Reporting Perso	n(s) to Issuer (	Check all application	able)		
		X Officer (give title below) President of Robinson Fresh /		Other (specify below) /				
(Street) EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55437		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(MM/DD/YYYY)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)	<b> </b>							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership	. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Common Stock			5992 <sup>(1)</sup>		D			
Table II - Deriva	tive Securitie	s Beneficial	ly Owned (e.g.,	puts, calls, w	arrants, options	, convertible secu	rities)	
(Instr. 4) Exp		Date Exercisable and xpiration Date IM/DD/YYYY)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		
Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	12/5/2028	8 Common Stock	6904	\$88.87	D		
Stock Option (right to buy)	(3)	12/6/202	7 Common Stock	10012	\$87.15	D		
Stock Option (right to buy)	(4)	12/7/2020	6 Common Stock	7760	\$76.72	D		
Stock Option (right to buy)	<u>(5)</u>	12/2/2025	5 Common Stock	3747	\$63.58	D		
Stock Option (right to buy)	(6)	12/3/2024	4 Common Stock	3046	\$74.57	D		
Stock Option (right to buy)	(7)	12/4/2023	3 Common Stock	1265	\$58.25	D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) Included in this amount are 5,992 shares of Issuer common stock issuable in settlement of an equal number of deferred shares credited to the reporting person's NQDC Plan account.
- (2) Stock option granted December 5, 2018 vests as to 20% of the shares subject to the option on December 31 in each of the years 2019-2023.
- (3) Stock option granted December 6, 2017 vests as to 20% of the shares subject to the option on December 31 in each of the years 2018-2022.
- (4) Stock option granted December 7, 2016 vests as to 20% of the shares subject to the option on December 31 in each of the years 2017-2021.

- (5) Stock option granted December 2, 2015 vests as to 20% of the shares subject to the option on December 31 in each of the years 2016-2020.
- (6) Performance-based stock option granted December 3, 2014 that vests, becomes exercisable and reportable as and to the extent applicable performance conditions are satisfied.
- (7) Performance-based stock option granted December 4, 2013 is fully vested.

### Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

## **Reporting Owners**

Panorting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Castagnetto Michael D.						
14701 CHARLSON ROAD			President of Robinson Fresh			
EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55437						

### **Signatures**

/s/ Jessica Ursel, Attorney-in-Fact for Michael D. Castagnetto

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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 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).

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#### Exhibit 24

#### Power of Attorney

Know all by these presents, that I hereby constitute and appoint each of Ben G. Campbell, Christopher Gerst, Carita Hibben, Jessica Ursel, Amy Seidel, and Amra Hoso my true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, each acting alone, with full power of substitution for me and in my name, place and stead, to:

- (1) execute for me and on my behalf, in my capacity as an officer and/or director of C.H. Robinson Worldwide, Inc., Forms 3, 4 and 5, in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules promulgated thereunder;
- (2) do and hereby perform any and all acts for and on my behalf that may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4 or 5, or other form or report, including the completion, execution and filing for Form ID, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such Form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to me, in my best interest or legally required by me, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on my behalf pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

I hereby grant to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as I might or could do if personally present, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. I acknowledge that the attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at my request, are not assuming, nor is C.H. Robinson Worldwide, Inc. assuming, any of my responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Exchange Act, as amended.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until I am no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to my holdings of and transactions in securities issued of C.H. Robinson Worldwide, Inc., unless earlier revoked by me in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys in fact named above. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if any such attorney-in-fact hereafter ceases to be an officer of C.H. Robinson Worldwide, Inc., this Power of Attorney shall be automatically revoked solely as to such individual, immediately upon such cessation, without any further action on my part. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have signed this Power of Attorney on December 16, 2019.

/s/ Michael D. Castagnetto