Smith Stephen E. Form 4 April 08, 2019

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Smith Stephen E.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KAR Auction Services, Inc. [KAR]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction							
(Last)	(1.1181)	wilduic)			insaction		X Director	10%	6 Owner	
13085 HAMILTON CROSSING BLVD.			(Month/Day/Year) 04/04/2019				Officer (give below)		er (specify	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
CARMEL, IN 46032						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	I - Non-D	erivative S	Securities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction Da	te 2A. Dee	emed	3.	4. Securit	ties	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year) Executi	on Date, if		onAcquired		Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any		Code	Disposed		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month	/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
				Code V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common							7 689 (1)	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)

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	ransactiorDerivative ode Securities		D)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8 I S
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Stock	<u>(2)</u>						(3)(4)	(3)	Common Stock	7,464	
Phantom Stock	<u>(2)</u>	04/04/2019		A	56.7249		(3)	(3)	Common Stock	56.7249	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Smith Stephen E. 13085 HAMILTON CROSSING BLVD.	X					
CARMEL, IN 46032						

Signatures

Rebecca C. Polak as Attorney
In Fact
04/08/2019

**Signature of Reporting Person 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).
- 2,140 of these shares were issued on June 4, 2018 to the reporting person as director fees and were issued pursuant to the KAR Auction
- (1) Services, Inc. 2009 Omnibus Stock and Incentive Plan and one-fourth of the 2,140 shares vest every three months from the date issued and are subject to forfeiture until vested.
- (2) The phantom stock will convert into shares of KAR common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (3) The reporting person will receive shares of KAR common stock, on a one-for-one basis, at a future date(s) specified by him subject to the terms and conditions of the KAR Auction Services, Inc. Directors Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (4) Represents director fees deferred in the reporting person's account in the KAR Auction Services, Inc. Directors Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (5) Reflects the reinvestment of dividend equivalents in additional shares of phantom stock pursuant to the terms of the KAR Auction Services, Inc. Directors Deferred Compensation Plan. All shares are vested.

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