Werner Karl William Form 4 June 12, 2018

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Shares

(Print or Type l	Responses)											
I				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RITCHIE BROS AUCTIONEERS INC [RBA]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
AUCTION	(First) (Middle) CCHIE BROS. DNEERS INC., 9500 YON PARKWAY			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/11/2018					Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
	(Street) 4. If A Filed(I				ate Originar)	al		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
BURNABY, A1 V5J 0C6 BURNABY, A1 V5J 0C6 — Form filed by More than One Reporting Person										Reporting		
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, i any (Month/Day/Year)			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	spose 4 and (A) or	d of (D) 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)	Beneficial O) Ownership ct (Instr. 4)		
Common Shares	06/11/2018			Code V M	4,757	(D)	Price \$ 24.84	4,757	D			
Common Shares	06/11/2018			S	4,757	D	\$ 35.6	0	D			
Common Shares								27,896	I	Long Term Investment Plan		
Common								3	I	Employee		

Stock

Purchase Plan

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)	5. Number iom 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to	\$ 24.84	06/11/2018		M		4,757	<u>(1)</u>	03/10/2025	Common Shares	4,757

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Werner Karl William C/O RITCHIE BROS. AUCTIONEERS INC. 9500 GLENLYON PARKWAY BURNABY, A1 V5J 0C6

Ch. Op. & Supp. Dev. Officer

Signatures

Buy)

/s/ Maria Teresa Punsalan attorney-in-fact for Karl William Werner

06/12/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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) The option was granted on March 10, 2015 and vested in three equal annual installments beginning on March 10, 2016.

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