#### ALLEN RONALD W

Form 4

October 20, 2008

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* ALLEN RONALD W

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

AARON RENTS INC [RNT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

X\_ Director

10% Owner Other (specify

309 E. PACES FERRY ROAD, N.E.

10/16/2008

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Officer (give title

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

ATLANTA, GA 30305-

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Class A

Common Stock

11,250

D

Common Stock

4,750

 $D^{(1)}$ 

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 omf 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
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.16	10/16/2008(2)		A	2,000	10/16/2010	10/16/2018	Common Stock	2,000

 $\mathbf{D}$ 

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
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ALLEN RONALD W 309 E. PACES FERRY ROAD, N.E. ATLANTA, GA 30305-	X					

### **Signatures**

/s/ Aleksandra T. Nearing, by Power of Attorney for Ronald W.
Allen

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

10/20/2008

## **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) 1,000 shares pertain to restricted common stock granted on November 7, 2006
- (2) This option grant is subject to shareholder approval.

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