AARON'S INC Form 4 January 04, 2017

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CURLING DOUGLAS C			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AARON'S INC [AAN]				ng	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) ((Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			(Chec	k all applicable	2)			
400 GALLERIA PKWY SE, SUITE 01/02/20			th/Day/Year) 2/2017				X Director Officer (give below)		Owner er (specify		
(Street) 4.			4. If Amendment, Date Original					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
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ATLANTA, GA 30339								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-D	Derivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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)	
Common Stock	01/02/2017(1)			A	3,125	A	\$ 31.99	7,679	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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Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	ofNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			Amou Under Securi (Instr.	rlying	Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer Other				
CURLING DOUGLAS C 400 GALLERIA PKWY SE SUITE 300 ATLANTA, GA 30339	X						

Signatures

/s/Robert P. Sinclair Jr., by Power of Attorney for Douglas C. Curling

01/04/2017

**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).
- (1) Granted 3,125 restricted stock units (RSUs) for annual director retainer, all of which are expected to vest on January 2, 2018.

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