

SOTHEBYS

Form 4

August 01, 2016

FORM 4
UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
DELANEY KEVIN M

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1334 YORK AVENUE

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10021

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
SOTHEBYS [BID]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/09/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)

SVP, Corporate Controller & CA

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	03/05/2016		M		646	A (1)	646	D	
Common Stock	03/05/2016		A		1,251	A (2)	1,897	D	
Common Stock	03/05/2016		F		697	D \$ 25.81	1,200	D	
Common Stock	07/28/2016		S(3)		658	D \$ 33.4	542	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)

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 of 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)		8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	(4)	02/09/2016		A		2,978		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	2,978
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	03/05/2016		M		646		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	646

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
DELANEY KEVIN M 1334 YORK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10021	SVP, Corporate Controller & CA

Signatures

/s/ Kevin
Delaney 08/01/2016

**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) Restricted stock units that have vested and converted into common stock on a one-for-one basis. Restricted stock units vest over three years in equal annual installments.
- (2) Performance stock units that have vested and are settled in common stock as a result of the achievement of all or partial financial target.
- (3) The sale reported in this Form 4 was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on June 7, 2016.

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- (4) Restricted stock units convert into common stock on a one-for-one basis. Restricted stock units vest over three years in equal annual installments beginning with the first anniversary of the grant date.

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