## **SOTHEBYS**

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Reza Olivier

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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(Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2016

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X\_ Director 10% Owner

(Check all applicable)

Officer (give title Other (specify below)

1334 YORK AVENUE

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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

Person

NEW YORK, NY 10021

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Street)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial Owned Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

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

Code V Amount (D) Price

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(A)

or

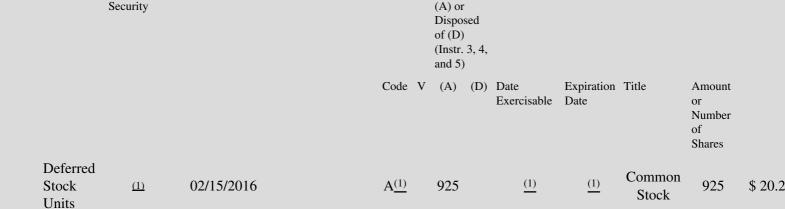
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1. Title of 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount of 8. Price 4. Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transactionof **Expiration Date Underlying Securities** Derivativ Security or Exercise Code Derivative (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) Security (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Securities (Instr. 5)

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Acquired



## **Reporting Owners**

Derivative

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Reza Olivier 1334 YORK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10021	X			

# **Signatures**

/s/ Jerome Kasdan as
Attorney-In-Fact
02/17/2016

\*\*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).

The Deferred Stock Units were accrued under the Company's Stock Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors (as amended and restated, the "Plan") as a result of a partial or full deferral election with respect to stock compensation paid under the Plan. These units will be settled, on a one-for-one basis, into shares of the Company's Common Stock (except that fractional shares, if any, will be settled in cash) after the reporting person's termination of service on the Company's Board.

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