KAR Auction Services, Inc.

Form 4

February 22, 2017

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Kett John W			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KAR Auction Services, Inc. [KAR]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 13085 HAMILTON CROSSING BLVD.			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/20/2017					(Check all applicable) Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
	(Street) CARMEL, IN 46032			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					IAA CEO & President 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned							ly Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Day (Month/Day/Year		n Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose	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)			
Common Stock								17,449	D			
Common Stock	02/20/2017			M	1,072	A	\$ 0 (1)	1,072	D			
Common Stock	02/20/2017			F(2)	391	D	\$ 46.48	681	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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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
Common Stock	\$ 10					(3)	08/20/2017	Common Stock	85,246
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/20/2017		M	1,072	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,072

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Kett John W

13085 HAMILTON CROSSING BLVD.

IAA CEO & President

Signatures

CARMEL, IN 46032

Rebecca C. Polak, Attorney In Fact

02/22/2017

**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) Each restricted stock unit is convertible into a share of common stock on a 1-for-1 basis. The restricted stock units vested in common stock on February 20, 2017.
- (2) Shares withheld by the Company to satisfy tax withholding requirements.
- (3) All of these options are currently exercisable.

These restricted stock units remain subject to a time-vesting requirement and are scheduled to vest and settle in common stock as follows:

one-third of these restricted stock units vested on February 20, 2016, one-third of these restricted stock units vested on February 20, 2017 and the remaining one-third of these restricted stock units vest on February 20, 2018, assuming continued employment through the applicable vesting date.

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