

Watt Darren Jeffrey
Form 4
March 13, 2018

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 *
Watt Darren Jeffrey

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
RITCHIE BROS AUCTIONEERS
INC [RBA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O RITCHIE BROS.
AUCTIONEERS INC., 9500
GLENLYON PARKWAY
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/09/2018

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____X____ Officer (give title ____ Other (specify
below) below)
Gen. Counsel & Corp. Secretary

BURNABY, A1 V5J 0C6

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Shares	03/09/2018		M	(A) or (D) 2,542 (1)	A (2) 2,542	D	
Common Shares	03/09/2018		M	173 (1)	A (2) 2,715	D	
Common Shares					1,698	I	Long-Term Investment Plan
Common Shares					2,117 (3)	I	Employee Stock

Purchase
Plan

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. P Der Sec (Ins	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Dividend Equivalent Rights (2015 PSUs)	(4)	03/09/2018		A	15	(4)	(4)	Common Shares	15
Dividend Equivalent Rights (2016 PSUs)	(5)	03/09/2018		A	5	(5)	(5)	Common Shares	5
2015 PSU (6)	(2)	03/09/2018		M	2,542	(2)	(2)	Common Shares	2,542
Dividend Equivalent Rights (2015 PSUs)	(4)	03/09/2018		M	173	(2)	(2)	Common Shares	173

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director

10% Owner

Officer

Other

Gen. Counsel & Corp. Secretary

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9500 GLENLYON PARKWAY
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Signatures

Maria Teresa Punsalan attorney-in-fact- for Darren Jeffrey
Watt

03/13/2018

__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) Represents pre-tax amount of award. Share issuance will be made net of tax withholding ("TW"). TW will be reported on separately within 2 business days of the TW determination date.

Each PSU and associated dividend equivalent right represents a contingent right to receive one RBA common share or the economic equivalent thereof. The PSUs and DERs vested on March 9, 2018. As determined by the Compensation Committee, the vested PSUs and
- (2) dividend equivalent rights determined in accordance with the RBA 2015 Senior Executive Performance Share Unit Plan will be settled in common shares issued to the reporting person, net of applicable tax, as soon as practicable following the end of the month in which the PSUs and related dividend equivalent rights vested.
- (3) Includes all Employee Stock Purchase Plan purchases through March 9, 2018.

Each dividend equivalent right represents a contingent right to receive on RBA common share or the economic equivalent thereof. The
- (4) dividend equivalent rights accrued in respect of the 2015 grant of performance share units, and become exercisable proportionately with the performance share units to which they relate.

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- (5) dividend equivalent rights accrued in respect of the 2016 grant of performance share units and become exercisable proportionately with the performance share units to which they relate.
- (6) Performance Share Units (PSUs) - 2015

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