

AARON'S INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

Woodley Ryan K

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
309 E. PACES FERRY ROAD, SUITE 1100  
(Street)

ATLANTA, GA 30305

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

AARON'S INC [AAN]

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

02/26/2016

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)

CEO Progressive Leasing

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

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\_\_\_ 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 (D) Price		
Common Stock	02/26/2016		A		19,200 (1) \$ 0 74,058	D	
Common Stock	02/26/2016		A		24,452 (2) \$ 0 98,510 (3)	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)
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.64	02/26/2016		A	61,050	03/15/2017 <sup>(4)</sup> 02/26/2026	Common Stock 61,050

### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Woodley Ryan K 309 E. PACES FERRY ROAD SUITE 1100 ATLANTA, GA 30305			CEO Progressive Leasing	

### Signatures

/s/ Robert Sinclair by Power of Attorney for Ryan K Woodley 03/01/2016

\*\*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 Unit grant vests one-third each year over a three year period beginning March 15, 2017
- (2) On February 26, 2016 the Compensation Committee determined the goals were met for the shares reported. The shares vest one-third each year over a three year period beginning March 15, 2016.
- (3) Included in the amount of securities beneficially owned following the transaction are 82,975 unvested restricted units.
- (4) Option vests one-third each year over a three year period beginning on March 15, 2017.

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