FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	Idress of Reporting P	erson*	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>RENT A CENTER INC DE</u> [RCII]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
				X Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5501 HEADQUARTERS DRIVE		()	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2010	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and COO					
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
PLANO	TX	75024		X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	—	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)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities A Disposed Of (5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150.4)
Common	04/29/2010		М		101,049	Α	\$10.396	124,333	D	
Common	04/29/2010		М		61,250	Α	\$8.95	185,583	D	
Common	04/29/2010		S		61,250	D	\$27.4864	124,333	D	
Common	04/29/2010		S		101,049	D	\$27.4864	23,284	D	
Common								12,727	I	By 401k

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. Transa Code (8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$8.95	04/29/2010		М			61,250	(1)	07/21/2010	Common	61,250	\$0	0	D	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$10.396	04/29/2010		М			101,049	(2)	11/09/2011	Common	101,049	\$0	73,952	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The option was granted on July 24, 2000, and became fully exercisable on July 24, 2004.

2. The option was granted on November 9, 2001, and became fully exercisable on November 9, 2005.

Remarks:

/s/ Mitchell E. Fadel

<u>04/30/2010</u> Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

 * 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).

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