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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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JACKSON JEFFERY M	2. Date of Event Requiring Statem (Month/Day/Year) 03/14/2007	nent 1	3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>RENT A CENTER INC DE</u> [ RCII ]						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3150 SABRE DRIVE			4. Relationship of Reporting I (Check all applicable) X Director Officer (give title		10% Owner Other (specify		<ul> <li>5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)</li> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</li> </ul>		
(Street) SOUTHLAKE TX 76092 (City) (State) (Zip)				below)	below)		L	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned									
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)				4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned           (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)									
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	Expiration Da	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securit Underlying Derivative Securit		4. Conve or Exe	ersion ercise	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Explanation of Responses:	Date Exercisable				Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security			

**Remarks:** 

No securities beneficially owned.

No securities are beneficially owned.

Jeffery M. Jackson

03/14/2007

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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 5 (b)(v).

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