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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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share

Common

Stock Par

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** CARRION RICHARD L			Symbol	er Name an LAR INC			ling	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)	(First) ((Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Check all applicable)						ble)			
PO BOX 362708			(Month/I 03/17/2	Day/Year) 2017				_X Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) below) Chairman & CEO				
				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
SAN JUAN						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any		Code (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 Stock Par Value \$0.01 per share	03/17/2017			Code V	Amount 4,023	(D)	Price \$ 45.06 (1)	362,506.32	D			
Common Stock Par Value \$0.01 per	03/17/2017			F	3,560	D	\$ 44.68 (2)	358,946.32	D			

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Value \$0.01 per share

Common Stock Par Value \$0.01 per

share
Common
Stock Par
Value
\$0.01 per

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3,408

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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. Transa Code (Instr.		5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amor Unde Secur	rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CARRION RICHARD L								
PO BOX 362708	X		Chairman & CEO					
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Signatures

Marie Reyes-Rodriguez, Attorney-in-fact

03/21/2017

**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) Based on the closing price of the common stock on January 27, 2017, the vesting date.
- (2) Based on the closing price of the common stock on February 27, 2017, the vesting date.
- (3) Shares held by the estate of Mr. Carrion's deceased spouse.
- (4) Represents Mr. Carrion's indirect ownership in the shares of the Corporation owned by Junior Investment Corporation in which he has approximately 16.99% interest.

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