FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name ai	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CARRIAGE SERVICES INC [ CSV ]										k all app Direc	tor	ng Pe	10% O	wner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3040 POST OAK BLVD.						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/31/2020									Office below	ficer (give title low)		Other ( below)	specify	
SUITE 300						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) HOUSTON TX 77056													X	Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person						
(City)	City) (State) (Zip)																			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day						Execution D			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)			4 and Securit		ties cially Following	Forn (D) o	wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Pric	се	Transa	action(s) 3 and 4)			(IIISU. 4)	
Common	2020				A		619(1)	A	\$1	16.15		57,329		D						
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)	vative Conversion Date Execution Da rrity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		ion Date,	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)  Date Expiration		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Insi 3 and 4)		De See (In:	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Exercis	able	Date	Title	Shares	;								

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Award pursuant to the Director Compensation Policy. Represents unrestricted shares of Carriage's Common Stock granted on March 31, 2020 for Director Compensation earned during the first quarter of 2020.

## Remarks:

/S/Donald D. Patteson, Jr.

04/01/2020

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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