

AARON RENTS 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 \*  
**BUTLER WILLIAM K JR**  
  
(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
**309 E. PACES FERRY ROAD, N.E.**  
  
(Street)  
  
**ATLANTA, GA 30305-**  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**AARON RENTS INC [RNT]**  
  
3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**12/20/2006**  
  
4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)  
  
 Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**President, SALO Division**  
  
6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 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)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Aaron Rnts Com Stock					41,176	D	
Aaron Rnts Com Stock					4,940.8291	I	By: 401(k) Plan
Aaron Rnts Com Stock					10,000	I	By: Spouse

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)	Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	
Aaron Rnts Com Stock Option	\$ 13.63	12/20/2006		D <sup>(1)</sup>	33,000	07/30/2007 <sup>(1)</sup> 07/30/2014	Aaron Rnts Com Stock	33,000
Aaron Rnts Com Stock Option	\$ 13.63	12/20/2006		D <sup>(2)</sup>	45,000	05/13/2007 <sup>(2)</sup> 05/13/2014	Aaron Rnts Com Stock	45,000
Aaron Rnts Com Stock Option	\$ 13.63	12/20/2006		D <sup>(3)</sup>	18,900	11/01/2007 <sup>(3)</sup> 11/01/2014	Aaron Rnts Com Stock	18,900
Aaron Rnts Com Stock Option	\$ 18.7667 <sup>(2)</sup>	12/20/2006		A <sup>(2)</sup>	45,000	05/13/2007 <sup>(2)</sup> 05/13/2014	Aaron Rnts Com Stock	45,000
Aaron Rnts Com Stock Option	\$ 21.4133 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/20/2006		A <sup>(1)</sup>	33,000	07/30/2007 <sup>(1)</sup> 07/30/2014	Aaron Rnts Com Stock	33,000
Aaron Rnts Com Stock Option	\$ 21.44 <sup>(3)</sup>	12/20/2006		A <sup>(3)</sup>	18,900	11/01/2007 <sup>(3)</sup> 11/01/2014	Aaron Rnts Com Stock	18,900

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BUTLER WILLIAM K JR 309 E. PACES FERRY ROAD, N.E. ATLANTA, GA 30305-			President, SALO Division	

## Signatures

Aleksandra T. Nearing, by Power of Attorney for William K. Butler

12/22/2006

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(2) The two reported transactions involve an amendment of an outstanding option to increase the exercise prize, resulting in the deemed cancellation of the "old" option and the grant of a replacement option. The option was originally granted on May 13, 2004 and provides for three year vesting.

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(3) The two reported transactions involve an amendment of an outstanding option to increase the exercise prize, resulting in the deemed cancellation of the "old" option and the grant of a replacement option. The option was originally granted on November 1, 2004 and provides for three year vesting.

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