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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Olaniyan Adeola Issuer Symbol CARRIAGE SERVICES INC [CSV] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title __X_ Other (specify 3040 POST OAK BLVD., SUITE 11/29/2018 below) below) 300 Principal Accounting Officer (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

HOUSTON, TX 77056

Common

Stock

(State)

(City) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned

> Reported (A) Transaction(s) or

> > 3,300

Following

Person

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number conf 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)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Performance Award	(1)	11/29/2018		D		1,200	<u>(1)</u>	12/31/2020	Common Stock	1,200
Performance Award	<u>(1)</u>	11/29/2018		D		1,320	<u>(1)</u>	12/31/2021	Common Stock	1,320
Stock Options	\$ 20.06						(2)	02/23/2026	Common Stock	2,340
Stock Options	\$ 26.54						(3)	03/21/2027	Common Stock	5,900

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Olaniyan Adeola								
3040 POST OAK BLVD.				Principal				
SUITE 300				Accounting Officer				
HOUSTON TX 77056								

Signatures

Reporting Person

/s/ Adeola Olaniyan 12/03/2018 **Signature of 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) The Performance Award was canceled by mutual agreement of the reporting person and the Issuer. No consideration was given for the cancellation of these shares.
- Stock Options granted pursuant to the Carriage Services, Inc. Second Amended and Restated 2006 Long-Term Incentive Plan of 3,900 of (2) which 780 vested on 2/23/2017 and were exercised on 3/13/2017, 780 shares vested on 2/23/2018 and were exercised on 3/2/2018, and 780 shares will vest each year on 2/23/2019, 2/23/2020 and 2/23/2021. These stock options expire on 2/23/2026.
- Stock Options granted pursuant to the Carriage Services, Inc. Second Amended and Restated 2006 Long-Term Incentive Plan which (3) vested 1/5 on 3/21/2018 and 1/5 will vest each year on 3/21/2019, 3/21/2020, 3/21/2021 and 3/21/2022. These stock options expire on 3/21/2027.

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