Blinderman Viki K Form 4 February 19, 2019

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

Common

Stock

02/14/2019

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Blinderman Viki K			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CARRIAGE SERVICES INC [CSV]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (Earliest Tr		(Chec	k all applicable)	
(Lust)	(1131)		(Month/D		ansaction	Director	10%	Owner	
5334 DUMI	FRIES		02/14/20	•		X_ Officer (give below)		er (specify	
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Mon	th/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by 0	One Reporting Pe	rson	
HOUSTON, TX 77096						Form filed by N Person	1 0		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	Perivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of	2. Transaction Dat	e 2A. Deem	ied	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution	Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Disposed of (D)	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any		Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/D	ay/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	

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

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Following

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Reported

12,499

(A)

Price

19.13

(Instr. 4)

D

(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Code V Amount (D)

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8. Price Deriva Securit (Instr.

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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	:	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options	\$ 25.43					(2)	02/14/2028	Common Stock	15,000
Stock Options	\$ 26.54					(3)	03/21/2027	Common Stock	34,900
Stock Options	\$ 20.06					<u>(4)</u>	02/23/2026	Common Stock	12,000
Stock Options	\$ 22.58					(5)	02/24/2022	Common Stock	25,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reput ting Owner Name / Audress	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Blinderman Viki K 5334 DUMFRIES HOUSTON, TX 77096

Principal Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Viki K.

Blinderman 02/19/2019

**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) Represents shares withheld on February 14, 2019 to cover taxes associated with the vesting of shares of restricted stock granted on February 14, 2018.
- Stock Options granted pursuant to the Carriage Services, Inc. 2017 Omnibus Plan which 1/5 vested on 2/14/2019 and 1/5 will vest on 2/14/2020, 2/14/2021, 2/14/2022 and 2/14/2023. The options expire on 2/14/2028.
- 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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- Stock Options granted pursuant to the Carriage Services, Inc. Second Amended and Restated 2006 Long-Term Incentive Plan which (4) vested 1/5 on 2/23/2017, 1/5 on 2/23/2018 and will vest 1/5 on 2/23/2019, 2/23/2020 and 2/23/2021. These stock options expire on 2/23/2026.
- (5) Stock Option grant pursuant to the Carriage Services, Inc. Amended and Restated 2006 Long-Term Incentive Plan which vested 1/3 on 2/24/2016, 1/3 on 2/24/2017 and 1/3 on 2/24/2018. These stock options expire on 02/24/2022.

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