AVIS BUDGET GROUP, INC.

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NELSON RONALD L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

AVIS BUDGET GROUP, INC.

(Check all applicable)

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(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year)

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

6 SYLVAN WAY 02/24/2016

(Middle)

Executive Chairman

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-E	Derivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	ired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/24/2016		M	44,975	A	\$ 0 (1)	903,176	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2016		F(2)	22,915	D	\$ 22.04	880,261	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2016		M	29,181	A	\$ 0 (1)	909,442	D	
Common Stock	02/24/2016		F(2)	14,868	D	\$ 22.04	894,574	D	
Common Stock							15,472	I (3)	By trust

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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 orDerivative 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
2014 Performance Based Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	02/24/2016		M	44,975	<u>(4)</u>	(5)	Common Stock	44,975
2015 Performance Based Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 (1)	02/24/2016		M	29,181	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	29,181

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Fg	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
NELSON RONALD L 6 SYLVAN WAY	X		Executive Chairman				
PARSIPPANY, NJ 07054							

Signatures

/s/ Jean M. Sera, by Power of Attorney for Ronald L.
Nelson 02/26/2016

**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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- (1) Represents restricted stock units which automatically convert to Common Stock upon the vesting of such units on a one-to-one basis.
- (2) Represents tax withholdings in connection with the vesting of restricted stock units.
 - Securities are held by a family trust. Mr. Nelson's wife is a trustee of the trust. Mr. Nelson disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities
- (3) held by the trust, and the filing of this report is not an admission that Mr. Nelson is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (4) Partial vesting occurred based on achievement of performance criteria not tied to total shareholder return ("TSR"). Remaining units continue to be eligible to vest according to previously reported relative TSR thresholds compared to the Russell 1000 Index.
- (5) Expiration date not applicable.

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