

C H ROBINSON WORLDWIDE 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 \*  
 Biesterfeld Robert C Jr

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 C H ROBINSON WORLDWIDE INC [CHRW]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 14701 CHARLSON  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 02/02/2016

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 President, N American Surface

EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55347

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	02/02/2016		A		2,477 (1)	A	\$ 0 13,641 D
Common Stock	02/03/2016		F		1,217	D	\$ 64.77 12,424 (2) D
Common Stock							795 I By ESPP

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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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Option (right to buy) <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ 68.81	02/02/2016		A	931	02/02/2016 12/07/2021	Common Stock	931
Option (right to buy) <sup>(4)</sup>	\$ 61.91	02/02/2016		A	1,348	02/02/2016 12/05/2022	Common Stock	1,348
Option (right to buy) <sup>(5)</sup>	\$ 58.25	02/02/2016		A	2,911	02/02/2016 12/04/2023	Common Stock	2,911
Option (right to buy) <sup>(6)</sup>	\$ 74.57	02/02/2016		A	2,738	02/02/2016 12/03/2024	Common Stock	2,738

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Biesterfeld Robert C Jr 14701 CHARLSON EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55347			President, N American Surface	

## Signatures

/s/ Troy Renner, Attorney-in-Fact for Robert C. Biesterfeld Jr. 02/04/2016

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

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

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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- (1) Represents performance-based restricted stock units that vested on February 2, 2016 upon certification by the Issuer's compensation committee. Such vested units have been credited to the reporting person's account in the Issuer's NQDC Plan and will be settled in an equal number of shares at specified future dates.
- (2) Included in this amount are 10,019 shares of Issuer common stock issuable in settlement of an equal number of deferred shares and vested performance restricted stock units credited to the reporting person's NQDC Plan account, and 2,405 shares held directly by the reporting person.
- (3) Performance-based stock option granted 12/7/11 that vests, becomes exercisable and reportable as and to the extent applicable performance conditions are satisfied.
- (4) Performance-based stock option granted 12/5/12 that vests, becomes exercisable and reportable as and to the extent applicable performance conditions are satisfied.
- (5) Performance-based stock option granted 12/4/13 that vests, becomes exercisable and reportable as and to the extent applicable performance conditions are satisfied.
- (6) Performance-based stock option granted 12/3/14 that vests, becomes exercisable and reportable as and to the extent applicable performance conditions are satisfied.

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