

Short Michael John  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
 Short Michael John

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 ROAD  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 01/29/2019

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 President, Global Forwarding

EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55347

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

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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 (A) or (D) Price   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock                    | 01/29/2019                           |  | A                              |   | 9,922<br><u>(1)</u>   | A  | \$ 0                              |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   | 24,174 <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u>  | D  |                                   |
|                                 |                                      |  |                                |   | 144   | I  | By 401(k) Plan                    |

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) | 8. Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Option (right to buy)                      | \$ 58.25   | 01/29/2019                           |  | A                              | 2,412   | <sup>(4)</sup> 12/04/2023                                | Common Stock  | 2,412                         |
| Option (right to buy)                      | \$ 74.57   | 01/29/2019                           |  | A                              | 3,532   | <sup>(5)</sup> 12/03/2024                                | Common Stock  | 3,532                         |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                      | Relationships |           |                              |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|------------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                      | Other |
| Short Michael John<br>14701 CHARLSON ROAD<br>EDEN PRAIRIE, MN 55347 |               |           | President, Global Forwarding |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Jessica Homes, Attorney-in-Fact for Michael John Short 01/31/2019

\_\_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 Performance-based restricted stock units that vested on January 29, 2019, have been credited to the reporting person's account in the Issuer's NQDC Plan and will be settled on a 1 for 1 basis in shares of the Issuer's common stock.
- (2) Includes 285 shares acquired pursuant to the Issuer's employee stock purchase plan.
- (3) Included in this amount are 23,890 shares of Issuer common stock issuable in settlement of an equal number of deferred shares credited to the reporting person's NQDC Plan account.
- (4) Performance-based stock option granted December 4, 2013 that vests, becomes exercisable and reportable as and to the extent applicable performance conditions are satisfied.
- (5) Performance-based stock option granted December 3, 2014 that vests, becomes exercisable and reportable as and to the extent applicable performance conditions are satisfied.

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