FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| (Print or Typ | e Responses | s) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Name and Address of Reporting Person * Gradon Michael | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AerCap Holdings N.V. [AER] | | | | | : | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner | | | | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) AERCAP HOUSE, 65 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2017 | | | | | | • | | rive title below) | | (specify below | v) | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | - | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| DUBLIN, | | (State) | (Zip) | | | Table | I - N | on-Derivat | ve Securiti | es Acqui | | | neficially Own | ed | |
| 1.Title of Se (Instr. 3) | ecurity | D | ate Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deeme Execution any (Month/Da | d Date, | 3. T Coo (Ins | rans | action 4. S | ecurities Ad or Disposed tr. 3, 4 and | equired : | 5. Amount of Beneficially Reported Tra (Instr. 3 and | f Securities Owned Foll ansaction(s) | lowing G. F.C. D. or | wnership oorm: Eirect (D) Conditional (D) | Seneficial Ownership |
| | | | | | | (| Code | V Am | ount (A) o | r Price | | | (I) (I) | nstr. 4) | |
| | | | Table II - I | | | | | form dis | plays a cu ed of, or Be | rrently v | valid OMB | | ond unless tl ımber. | | |
| | | 3. Transaction Date Execution Date e of vative (Month/Day/Year) | | | te, if Transaction of Code Derivative | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 7. Ti Amount Amount Amount Company Amo | | 7. Title Amoun Underly Securiti | nt of Derivative lying Security | | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) | Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect | | |
| | | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |
| Restricted Stock Units | <u>(1)</u> | 12/31/2017 | | <u>J(2)</u> | | 3,394 | | (3) | (3) | Ordina Share | 1 3 394 | \$ 0 | 3,394 | D | |

Reporting Owners

| D (O N /411 | Relationships | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| Gradon Michael AERCAP HOUSE 65 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN DUBLIN, L2 2 | X | | | | | |

Signatures

| /s/ Michael Gradon | 01/02/2018 |
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| **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).
- Each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") represents a right to receive, upon settlement, either (i) a number of Ordinary Shares equal to the number of vested RSUs that become (1) payable upon the applicable vesting date; (ii) an amount of cash equal to the fair market value of such number of Ordinary Shares; or (iii) a combination of items (i) and (ii). This
- (1) payable upon the applicable vesting date; (ii) an amount of cash equal to the fair market value of such number of Ordinary Shares; or (iii) a combination of items (i) and (ii). This form is filed voluntarily. As a foreign private issuer, AerCap Holdings N.V. is exempted from Section 16 of the Exchange Act by Rule 3a12-3.
- (2) Grant of RSUs
- $\textbf{(3)} \ The \ RSUs \ will \ vest \ on \ the \ earlier \ of \ (i) \ May \ 31, 2018 \ and \ (ii) \ the \ date \ of \ the \ 2018 \ annual \ general \ meeting \ of \ shareholders \ of \ AerCap \ Holdings \ N.V.$

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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