

O REILLY AUTOMOTIVE INC
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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 *
 ELLIS LARRY LEE

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 O REILLY AUTOMOTIVE INC
 [ORLY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 233 SOUTH PATTERSON AVENUE
 (Street)
 SPRINGFIELD, MO 65802
 (City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 02/22/2016

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
 ____ 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below)
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4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Common Stock	02/22/2016		M	A	1,000 \$ 88.33	1,372	D
Common Stock	02/22/2016		S	D	1,000 \$ 258.997	372 ⁽¹⁾	D
Common Stock						3,565 ⁽²⁾	I Indirectly as trustee of a trust and in the Company's 401k Plan.

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Nonqualified employee stock options (right to buy)	\$ 88.33	02/22/2016		M	1,000	03/02/2013 ⁽³⁾ 03/02/2022	Common Stock 1,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ELLIS LARRY LEE 233 SOUTH PATTERSON AVENUE SPRINGFIELD, MO 65802			SVP OF DISTRIBUTION	

Signatures

/s/ Larry Ellis 02/23/2016

**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).
- (1) Total includes 39 unvested restricted shares awarded under the Company's Performance Incentive Plan and 333 shares held directly by Mr. Ellis.
- (2) Total includes 722 shares held as trustee of a trust and 2,843 shares held in the Company's 401k Plan.
- (3) The options vest in four equal annual installments beginning on this date.

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