FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>APOLLO OVERSEAS PARTNERS IV LP</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RENT A CENTER INC DE [RCII]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner				
(Last)	ast) (First) (Middle) WO MANHATTANVILLE ROAD					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/11/2003										Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify
(Street) PURCHA	PURCHASE NY 10577					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 07/15/2003										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date (Month/I						ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year			Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquir Disposed Of (D) (In 5)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
										Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or P	Price	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 07/11					1/200	2003			S		39,443	3 I		\$73	296	,722		D		
			Table II -									sed of, onvertik				Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemee Execution I if any (Month/Day	Date,		ransaction ode (Instr.)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		ate Exer iration D nth/Day/	ate	le and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Sec (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exe	e rcisable		oiration e	Title	or Nu of	nount mber ares					
Series A Preferred Stock	\$27.935	07/11/2003			S			1	08/0	05/1998	08/	08/1988 ⁽²⁾	Commo Stock	n i	35	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	0		D	
Series C Preferred Stock	\$27.935	07/11/2003			P		1		07/:	11/2003	08/	08/1988 ⁽²⁾	Commo Stock	n	35	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	1		D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The one share of Series C preferred stock, par value \$.01 ("Series C Preferred Stock"), of the Issuer was acquired in exchange for one share of Series A preferred stock, par value \$.01 ("Series A Preferred Stock"). Stock"), pursuant to the terms of the Stock Purchase and Exchange Agreement dated as of April 25, 2003 among Apollo Investment Fund IV, L.P., the Reporting Person and the Issuer.
- 2. The Series A Preferred Stock and the Series C Preferred Stock does not expire and does not have expiration dates.

Remarks:

This Amendment is filed to correct the Central Index Key number used to identify the Issuer in the SEC's computer system from the number used when the original Statement on Form 4 was filed. This Amendment does not include any changes to the actual information included in the original Statement on Form 4.

<u>Apollo Overseas Partners IV,</u> <u>L.P.</u>	01/06/2004
By: Apollo Advisors IV, L.P., its Managing General Partner	01/06/2004
By: Apollo Capital Management IV, Inc., its General Partner	01/06/2004
/s/ Patricia M. Navis, Vice President	01/06/2004
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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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