

SAIA INC
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FORM 4

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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 *
ODELL RICHARD D

(Last) (First) (Middle)
11465 JOHNS CREEK PARKWAY,
SUITE 400
(Street)

JOHNS CREEK, GA 30097

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
SAIA INC [SAIA]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/26/2014

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)

President & CEO of Saia

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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price
Common Stock	11/26/2014		M		29,610	A	\$ 10.9267
Common Stock	11/26/2014		S		29,610	D	\$ 54.2476

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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.9267	11/26/2014		M	29,610	05/02/2014	05/01/2018	Common Stock	29,610
Phantom Stock	(2)					(3)	(4)	Common Stock	43,070.5
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.28					04/30/2016	04/29/2020	Common Stock	45,880
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.5					02/04/2017	02/03/2021	Common Stock	39,600
Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 11					02/02/2015	02/02/2019	Common Stock	52,950

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

O DELL RICHARD D
11465 JOHNS CREEK PARKWAY, SUITE 400
JOHNS CREEK, GA 30097

President & CEO of Saia

Signatures

/s/ Stephanie R. Maschmeier 12/01/2014

**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).

- The prices reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$54.00 to \$54.84, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this Form 4.
- (1) The conversion rate of this derivative security on November 26, 2014 is 1.203 resulting in 51,811.80 shares of common stock (underlying security in column 7).
 - (2) Immediate
 - (3) The shares of phantom stock become payable in the Company's stock upon the reporting person's termination of service as an employee, in accordance with the terms of the Plan.

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