

ARGAN INC  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Leimkuhler William F.

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
43 SALEM STRAITS RD  
(Street)  
DARIEN, CT 06820  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
10/07/2013

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)

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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Stock	10/08/2013		X	5,000	A \$ 9.01	20,000	D
Common Stock	10/07/2013		P	1,000	A \$ 21.33	1,000	I
Common Stock	10/08/2013		P	914	A \$ 21.28	914	I

By  
Elizabeth K.  
Leimkuhler  
Trust Under  
Agreement  
dated  
August 30,  
2005

By Emily K.  
Leimkuhler

Common Stock	10/08/2013	P	86	A	\$ 21.235	1,000	I	Trust Under Agreement dated August 30, 2005 By Emily K. Leimkuhler Trust Under Agreement dated August 30, 2005
Common Stock	10/08/2013	P	100	A	\$ 21.17	100	I	By Simplified Employee Pension IRA
Common Stock	10/08/2013	P	900	A	\$ 21.2	1,000	I	By Simplified Employee Pension IRA
Common Stock	10/08/2013	P	1,000	A	\$ 21.1	2,000	I	By Simplified Employee Pension IRA

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
Stock Option to	\$ 9.01	10/08/2013		X	5,000	12/16/2011 12/16/2020	Common Stock	5,000

purchase  
Common  
Stock

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Leimkuhler William F. 43 SALEM STRAITS RD DARIEN, CT 06820	X			

## Signatures

/s/ William F. Leimkuhler	10/09/2013
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**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
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## 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).

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