PEISER ROBERT A

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Middle)

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

Common

Stock

Stock

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PEISER ROBERT A

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

USA TRUCK INC [USAK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2018

3200 INDUSTRIAL PARK ROAD

(Month/Day/Year)

Officer (give title Other (specify below)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Applicable Line)

X Director

4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

D

Person

(Street)

VAN BUREN, AR 72956

05/15/2018

(State) (Zip)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

By Trust

(9-02)

10% Owner

Reported (A) Transaction(s) or

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

3,261 A \$0 3,261 A (1)

Common $67,785 \frac{(2)}{}$ Ι

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)

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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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		ate	7. Title a Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 a	of ng s	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(Instr. 3, 4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	or Title Nu of	umber		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

PEISER ROBERT A
3200 INDUSTRIAL PARK ROAD X
VAN BUREN, AR 72956

Signatures

/s/ Zachary B. King, attorney-in-fact pursuant to a POA filed herewith.

05/17/2018

**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).
- Represents annual award of restricted stock under the USA Truck, Inc. 2014 Omnibus Incentive Plan, as amended, as part of the
- (1) non-employee director compensation package. The shares will vest on the date of the Company's 2019 Annual Meeting, subject to certain acceleration and forfeiture provisions.
- (2) The reporting person disclaims ownership of the shares to the extent that the number of shares exceeds his pecuniary interest in the shares.

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