

Smith, Jr. Thomas S.  
Form 4  
November 29, 2018

**FORM 4**

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Smith, Jr. Thomas S.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1334 YORK AVE

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10021

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol

SOTHEBYS [BID]

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

11/28/2018

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 and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting  
Person

**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)
Common Stock	11/28/2018		G <sup>(1)</sup>	V 15,250 D \$ 0	119,725	D	
Common Stock	11/28/2018		P <sup>(1)</sup>	15,250 A \$ 40.9584	134,975	D	
Common Stock					11,130	I	By wife as UTMA custodian for son
Common Stock					5,610	I	By wife as UTMA

custodian  
for  
daughter

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Smith, Jr. Thomas S. 1334 YORK AVE NEW YORK, NY 10021	X		President and CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ David G. Schwartz as  
Attorney-In-Fact 11/29/2018

\_\_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).
- (1) The Reporting Person made a charitable gift of 15,250 shares of Sotheby's common stock, and then purchased the same number of shares in the open market on the same day so as to retain his prior overall level of investment in the Company.
- (2) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were bought in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$40.73 to \$41.11, inclusive. If requested, the Reporting Person will supply the SEC, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer full

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details regarding the number of shares bought at each price.

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