AARON RENTS INC Form SC 13G February 12, 2003

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

Schedule 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No.)*

Aaron Rents Inc (Name of Issuer)

Common Stock (Title of Class of Securities)

002535201 (CUSIP Number)

*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

CUSIP No. 002535201

(1) Names of Reporting Persons.

I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only).

BARCLAYS GLOBAL INVESTORS, NA., 943112180

- (2) Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group*
- (a) / /
- (b) /X/

(3) SEC Use Only

(4) Citizenship or Place of Organization U.S.A.

Number of Shares

Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With (5) Sole Voting Power 682222

(6) Shared Voting Power
0

(7) Sole Dispositive Power 682222

(8) Shared Dispositive Power Ω _____ (9) Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person _____ (10) Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares* (11) Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) (12) Type of Reporting Person* BK CUSIP No. 002535201 (1) Names of Reporting Persons. I.R.S. Identification Nos. of above persons (entities only). BARCLAYS GLOBAL FUND ADVISORS ______ (2) Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group* (a) / / (b) /X/ (3) SEC Use Only ______ (4) Citizenship or Place of Organization U.S.A. Number of Shares (5) Sole Voting Power Beneficially Owned 282210 by Each Reporting Person With (6) Shared Voting Power (7) Sole Dispositive Power 282210 (8) Shared Dispositive Power 0 ______ (9) Aggregate 282210 _____ (10) Check Box if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares* (11) Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9) (12) Type of Reporting Person* ______

ITEM 1(A).	NAME OF ISSUER Aaron Rents Inc.
ITEM 1(B).	ADDRESS OF ISSUER'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES Address of Issuer Address of Issuer
ITEM 2(A).	NAME OF PERSON(S) FILING BARCLAYS GLOBAL INVESTORS, NA
	ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE OR, IF NONE, RESIDENCE 45 Fremont Street San Francisco, CA 94105
ITEM 2(C).	
ITEM 2(D).	TITLE OF CLASS OF SECURITIES Common Stock
ITEM 2(E).	CUSIP NUMBER 002535201
	IF THIS STATEMENT IS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13D-1(B), OR WHETHER THE PERSON FILING IS A
(15 U.S (b) /X/ Bank as (c) // Insuran	Aaron Rents Inc.
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	NAME OF PERSON(S) FILING BARCLAYS GLOBAL FUND ADVISORS
ITEM 2(B).	ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL BUSINESS OFFICE OR, IF NONE, RESIDENCE 45 Fremont Street

San Francisco, CA 94105

	U.S.A
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ITEM 3. 13D-2(B), 0	IF THIS STATEMENT IS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13D-1(B), OR HECK WHETHER THE PERSON FILING IS A
	ker or Dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act U.S.C. 780).
(c) // Ins	k as defined in section 3(a) (6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c). urance Company as defined in section 3(a) (19) of the Act U.S.C. 78c).
(d) // Inv	estment Company registered under section 8 of the Investment pany Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8).
(e) // Inv (f) // Emp	estment Adviser in accordance with section 240.13d(b)(1)(ii)(E). loyee Benefit Plan or endowment fund in accordance with section .13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F).
240	ent Holding Company or control person in accordance with section .13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G).
	avings association as defined in section 3(b) of the Federal Depositurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813).
com	hurch plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment pany under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 U.S.C. 80a-3).
•	up, in accordance with section 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J)
ITEM 4. OWN	ERSHIP
Provide the	ERSHIP following information regarding the aggregate number and of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.
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percent of the class of securities, check the following. //

- ITEM 6. OWNERSHIP OF MORE THAN FIVE PERCENT ON BEHALF OF ANOTHER PERSON

 The shares reported are held by the company in trust accounts for the
 economic benefit of the beneficiaries of those accounts. See also

 Items 2(a) above.
- ITEM 7. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSIDIARY WHICH ACQUIRED THE SECURITY BEING REPORTED ON BY THE PARENT HOLDING COMPANY

 Not applicable
- ITEM 8. IDENTIFICATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF MEMBERS OF THE GROUP Not applicable
- ITEM 9. NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF GROUP Not applicable

ITEM 10. CERTIFICATION

(a) The following certification shall not be included if the statement is filed pursuant to section 240.13d-1 (b):

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

(b) The following certification shall be included if the statement is filed pursuant to section 240.13d-1(c):

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

 February 14, 2002
Date
 Signature
 Lois Towers Compliance Officer
 Name/Title