Miller Michelle Lynn Form 4 February 14, 2019

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Miller Michelle Lynn

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

NATIONAL RETAIL

PROPERTIES, INC. [NNN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2019

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

(Check all applicable)

below) **EVP & Chief Accounting Officer**

450 S. ORANGE AVE., SUITE 900 (Street)

(First)

(Middle)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

ORLANDO, FL 32801

| (City) | (State) (| (Zip) 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) | | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2019 | 02/12/2019 | A | 806 (1) | A | \$ 53.7 | 30,403 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2019 | 02/12/2019 | A | 4,838 (2) | A | \$ 53.7 | 35,241 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/12/2019 | 02/12/2019 | A | 1,613 (3) | A | \$ 53.7 | 36,854 | D | |

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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exerc | cisable and | 7. Titl | e and | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|-----------------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|--------|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transacti | onNumber | Expiration Date | | Amou | nt of | Derivative | Deriv |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | Year) | Under | lying | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivativ | e | | Securi | ities | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
| | Derivative | | | | Securities | 3 | | (Instr. | 3 and 4) | | Owne |
| | Security | | | | Acquired | | | | | | Follo |
| | • | | | | (A) or | | | | | | Repo |
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| | | | | | of (D) | | | | | | (Instr |
| | | | | | (Instr. 3, | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 4, and 5) | | | | | | |
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| | | | | | | | | | Amount | | |
| | | | | | | Date | Expiration | TT:41 | or | | |
| | | | | | | Exercisable | Date | Title | Number | | |
| | | | | G 1 17 | (1) (D) | | | | of | | |
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | | |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Miller Michelle Lynn 450 S. ORANGE AVE. SUITE 900 ORLANDO, FL 32801

EVP & Chief Accounting Officer

Signatures

\s\ Michelle Lynn
Miller
02/14/2019

**Signature of Reporting 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 shares will vest 25% annually beginning in 2020 through 2023. The Reporting Person has voting and dividend rights on all of these shares, including unvested shares.
- (2) Shares will vest on January 1, 2022 based upon achieving certain total shareholder returns. The Reporting Person has no dividend or voting rights on these shares until the shares have vested.
- (3) Shares will vest on January 1, 2022 based on achieving certain company performance measures. The Reporting Person has no dividend or voting rights on these shares until the shares have vested.

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