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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ANTIN ROBERT L

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

B. Riley Financial, Inc. [RILY] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zin)

_X__ Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title 08/21/2018

C/O B. RILEY FINANCIAL, INC., 21255 BURBANK BLVD, SUITE 400

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

WOODLAND HILLS, CA 91367

(State)

(City)	(State) (A	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or			or	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	1			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					(A) or		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(msu. 1)	(msu. 1)	
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(msu. 5 and 4)			
Common Stock	08/21/2018		A	2,262 (1)	A	\$ 0	4,868	D		
Common Stock							200,000	I	See footnote (2)	
Common Stock							200,000	I	See footnote (3)	

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 Exer	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onNumber	Expiration Date		Amou	ınt 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)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
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						Exercisable	Date	Title Number	Number		
				~	<i>(</i> 1)				of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ANTIN ROBERT L C/O B. RILEY FINANCIAL, INC. 21255 BURBANK BLVD, SUITE 400 WOODLAND HILLS, CA 91367

X

Signatures

/s/ Robert L. 09/18/2018 Antin

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Represents a restricted stock unit that settles in common stock of the Company and vests in full on the earlier of June 1, 2019, or the Company's next Annual Shareholder Meeting.
- (2) Held of record by Robert L. Antin and Patti Antin as Trustees for the Robert and Patti Antin Living Trust. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) Held of record by the Robert Antin Children Irrevocable Trust Dtd 1/1/01 (the "Trust"). The reporting person is the settlor of the Trust. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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