FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* APOLLO INVESTMENT FUND IV LP						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RENT A CENTER INC DE [RCII]									k all app Dired	son(s) to Is			
(Last) (First) (Middle) TWO MANHATTANVILLE RD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/10/2003									Offic belov	er (give title w)		Other (below)	(specify
(Street) PURCHA (City)			.0577 Zip)		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 11/12/2003 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Che Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than One Person						orting Pers	on							
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Day					Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Disposed Of		es Acquired (A) o Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a) or 4 and 5)	Securi Benefi	cially I Following	Form (D) o	vnership n: Direct r Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
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Common Stock 11/10/			11/10/2	2003				S		2,609,974 D \$		\$32.14	10,742,164 ⁽¹⁾			D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		e (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 Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Ye		te	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		De Se (In:	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	wnership orm: irect (D) r Indirect	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Explanation of Responses:

1. The amount reported reflects a 5-for-2 stock split that was effected on August 29, 2003 as a stock dividend of 1.5 shares for each share of outstanding Common Stock.

Remarks:

This Amendment is filed to correct the Central Index Key number used to identify the Issuer in the SEC's computer system from the number used when the original Statement on Form 4 was filed. This Amendment does not include any changes to the actual information included in the original Statement on Form 4.

Apollo Investment Fund IV,
L.P.

By: Apollo Advisors IV, L.P.,
its General Partner

By: Apollo Capital
Management IV, Inc., its
General Partner

/s/ Patricia M. Navis, Vice
President

** Signature of Reporting Person

01/06/2004

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * 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).

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