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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan for the purchase or sale of equity securities of the issuer that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>Kotler Arie</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) 8565 MAGELLAN PARKWAY SUITE 400  (Street) RICHMOND VA 23227  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>ARKO Corp. [ ARKO ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)  <u>Chairman, President and CEO</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>02/27/2026</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	02/27/2026		A		186,959	A	\$0 <sup>(1)</sup>	12,222,945	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	02/27/2026		F		45,525	D	\$6.43	12,177,420	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	03/01/2026		M		69,581	A	\$0 <sup>(2)</sup>	12,247,001	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	03/01/2026		F		16,944	D	\$6.43	12,230,057	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share								9,452,636	I	See footnote <sup>(3)</sup>

**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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	02/27/2026		A		410,503		(4)	(4)	Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	\$0	410,503	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(2)	03/01/2026		M		69,581		(5)	(5)	Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	\$0	69,580	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- On March 2, 2023, the reporting person was granted performance stock units, each providing for the right to receive one share of common stock, \$0.0001 par value per share ("common stock"), of ARKO Corp. (the "Company"), subject to satisfaction of certain performance criteria.
- Restricted stock units ("RSUs") provide for the right to receive one share of common stock of the Company on a one-for-one basis.
- These shares of the Company's common stock are held by KMG Realty LLC, of which the reporting person is the sole member and the sole and exclusive beneficiary.
- The RSUs will vest and convert into shares of common stock in three equal annual installments commencing on March 1, 2027, subject to the reporting person's continued employment or service through the vesting date.
- The RSUs vest and convert into shares of common stock in three equal annual installments commencing on March 1, 2025, subject to the reporting person's continued employment or service through the vesting date, with certain accelerated vesting upon termination of employment.

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person                      Date

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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