REED'S, INC. Form 3

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SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

Bello John

(Last)

(First)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

12/01/2016

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

REED'S, INC. [REED]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

13000 SOUTH SPRING ST.

(Street)

(Check all applicable)

(give title below) (specify below)

10% Owner Other

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

LOS ANGELES, Â CAÂ 90061

(City) (State)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

(Zip)

(Middle)

2. Amount of Securities

(Instr. 4)

Beneficially Owned

X Director

Officer

Ownership Form:

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

4. Conversion or Exercise

Price of

Derivative

5. Form of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Ownership Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Expiration Date

Title

Security

Security: Direct (D) or Indirect

Exercisable Date

Amount or Number of Shares

(I) (Instr. 5) Edgar Filing: REED'S, INC. - Form 3

Non-Qualified Stock Option	(1)	09/30/2021	Common Stock	30,000	\$ 3.74	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option	(2)	09/30/2021	Common Stock	20,000	\$ 3.74	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Bello John 13000 SOUTH SPRING ST. LOS ANGELES, CA 90061	ÂX	Â	Â	Â	

Signatures

/s/ John Bello 12/23/2016

**Signature of Person

**Bignature of Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Options vest as follow: 1/3 Immediatly, 1/3 on September 30, 2017 and 1/3 on September 30, 2018. These Options are for Director Services.
- Options vest as follow: 1/3 Immediatly, 1/3 on September 30, 2017 and 1/3 on September 30, 2018. These Options are for Consulting Services.

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