

RITCHIE BROS AUCTIONEERS INC
Form 6-K
May 13, 2015

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

Form 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 under

the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of May 2015

Commission File Number: 001-13425

Ritchie Bros. Auctioneers Incorporated

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(Address of principal executive offices)

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INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE

Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 6-K shall be incorporated by reference into the Registration Statement on Form S-8 (File No. 333-71577) of Ritchie Bros. Auctioneers Incorporated (the “Company”).

EXHIBIT INDEX

| <u>Number</u> | <u>Description</u> |
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| 99.1 | Ritchie Bros. Auctioneers Incorporated 1999 Employee Stock Purchase Plan (as amended May 5, 2015) |
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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

**Ritchie Bros.
Auctioneers
Incorporated**
(Registrant)

Date: May 7, 2015

By: */s/ Darren Watt*
Darren Watt
Corporate Secretary