

# **SECURITIES & EXCHANGE COMMISSION EDGAR FILING**

HireQuest, Inc.

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## FORM 4

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Re	sponses)																
Name and Address of Reporting Person     Malhotra R. Rimmy					Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol HireQuest, Inc. [HQI]							Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer     (Check all applicable)					
111 SPRING	(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) O9/23/2019								Officer (give title below)Other (specify below)								
(Street) GOOSE CREEK, SC 29445				4. If Amendment, Date Original FiledMonth/Day/Year)							6. Individual or J _X_ Form filed by One Form filed by Mor	e Reporting Per	son	cable Line)			
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/s/ R. Rimmy			09/25/2	019													
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<ol> <li>Name and Ad Malhotra R.</li> </ol>		ŀ	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol     HireQuest, Inc. [HQI]							Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer     (Check all applicable)     X Director 10% Owner						
111 SPRING		(First)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/23/2019							Officer (give titl	e below)		(specify below)		
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(City)	,	(State)	(Zip)			Tab	le I - No	n-D	erivative S	ecurities	Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Benef	icially Owned		
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### **Reporting Owners**

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Malhotra R. Rimmy 111 SPRINGHALL DRIVE GOOSE CREEK, SC 29445	х						

### **Signatures**

/s/ R. Rimmy Malhotra	09/25/2019
-Signature of Reporting Person	Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- $^{\star}$   $\,$  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 shares of restricted stock awarded to Mr. Malhotra in his capacity as a Director of the Issuer for Board of Directors service. 5,000 of these shares will vest on the day prior to the 2020 Annual Meeting of Shareholders of Issuer, and 5,000 of these shares will vest on each of the first two anniversaries of that date.
- (2) Shares awarded for board service. See note 1. The closing price of the Issuer's Common Stock on Nasdaq on the date of grant was \$7.20 per share.
- (3) Represents shares directly owned by Nicoya Fund, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company. Mr. Malhotra is managing member of Nicoya Capital LLC, which is the managing member of Nicoya Fund, LLC. Mr. Malhotra disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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