FORM 4

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### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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

			or Se	ection 30(h) of the I	Investment Comp	any Act of 1940				
1. Name and Address of <u>Neibart Lee S</u> (Last)		ne <b>and</b> Ticker or Ti OPPORTUN		<u>STMENTS CORP</u> [	5. Relation (Check and X	mer pecify below)				
C/O RETAIL OPPORTUNITY INVESTMENTS CORP. 11250 EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE 200			3. Date of Ea 01/01/2022	rliest Transaction (	(Month/Day/Year)					
(Street) SAN DIEGO (City)	4. If Amendm	nent, Date of Origin	nal Filed (Month/E	)ay/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		(Zip)								
		Table I - N	on-Derivative	Securities Ac	quired, Disp	osed of, or Beneficially C	wned			
		2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Dispo (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	osed Of	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect	

					(Month/Day/Year)								Following Reported		Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
					(Month/Day/Year)				v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share				01/01/2022			Α		5,102	2 <sup>(1)</sup> A \$0		123,254		D				
			Table II					,	•	ed of, o nvertible			Owned					
	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 8) Deri Secu (A) d		Derivative Securities (A) or Disp	Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Derivative (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)			

Explanation of Responses:

1. The reporting person was granted 5,102 shares of restricted Common Stock that were issued pursuant to the Retail Opportunity Investments Corp. Amended and Restated 2009 Equity Incentive Plan. All of such shares vest on January 1, 2023. Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

#### /s/ Michael B. Haines, Attorney-in-fact 01/04/2022

for Lee S. Neibart

\*\* 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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## POWER OF ATTORNEY

## FOR SEC FILINGS ON FORMS ID, 3, 4, 5 AND 144 IN RESPECT OF SECURITIES OF RETAIL OPPORTUNITY INVESTMENTS CORP.

The undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Stuart A. Tanz, Michael B. Haines, Jay L. Bernstein, Jacob A. Farquharson and Robert M. Worden or any one of them acting alone, as the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power of substitution and resubstitution for the undersigned in the undersigned's name and stead in any and all capacities, to sign and file for and on the undersigned's behalf, in respect of any acquisition, disposition or other change in ownership of any shares of common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share, of Retail Opportunity Investments Corp. (the "Company"), the following:

- (i) any Form ID to be filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC");
- (ii) any Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership of Securities on Form 3 to be filed with the SEC;
- (iii) any Statement of Changes of Beneficial Ownership of Securities on Form 4 to be filed with the SEC;
- (iv) any Annual Statement of Beneficial Ownership of Securities on Form 5 to be filed with the SEC;
- (v) any Notice of Proposed Sale of Securities on Form 144 to be filed with the SEC; and
- (vi) any and all agreements, certificates, receipts, or other documents in connection therewith.

The undersigned hereby gives full power and authority to the attorney-in-fact to seek and obtain as the undersigned's representative and on the undersigned's behalf, information on transactions in the Company's securities from any third party, including brokers, employee benefit plan administrators and trustees, and the undersigned hereby authorizes any such person to release such information to the undersigned and approves and ratifies any such release of information.

The undersigned hereby grants unto such attorney-in-fact and agent full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary in connection with such matters and hereby ratifies and confirms all that any such attorney-in-fact and agent or substitute may do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

The undersigned acknowledges that:

- (i) neither the Company nor such attorney-in-fact assumes (i) any liability for the undersigned's responsibility to comply with the requirement of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "<u>Exchange Act</u>"), (ii) any liability of the undersigned for any failure to comply with such requirements or (iii) any obligation or liability of the undersigned for profit disgorgement under Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act; and
- (ii) this Power of Attorney does not relieve the undersigned from responsibility for compliance with the undersigned's obligations under the Exchange Act, including without limitation the reporting requirements under Section 16 of the Exchange Act.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to such attorney-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Power of Attorney.

Date: October 25, 2016

/s/ Lee S. Neibart Lee S. Neibart

[Signature Page to Power of Attorney]