

AVIS BUDGET GROUP, INC.  
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SCHEDULE 14A

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**Avis Budget Group, Inc.**

(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)

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After the close of business on March 21, 2018, SRS Investment Management, LLC disseminated the following statement to certain media outlets:

“We have seen the slate of director nominees proposed by Avis, and it falls short of achieving the board refreshment that we believe is necessary to enact meaningful change for Avis stockholders. Accordingly, we intend to move forward with the nomination of our five director candidates at the upcoming Avis Annual Meeting.”