FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Carcara Jeff Frank (Month/Day/Year) 02/12/2019			nent	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Bloomin' Brands, Inc. [BLMN]							
	(First) Γ SHORE BLV	(Middle)			Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify))		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)				
(Street) TAMPA	FL	33607			X	below) EVP & Pres. Bonef	below)	City	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)								reporting 1	CISOII
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned										
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					unt of Securities ially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Owner (Instr. 5)		Beneficial Ownership			
No securities b	eneficially own	ned.				0	D				
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) 2. Date Exercise Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		ate	Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4) Convo		4. Conve or Exe	rcise	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
			Date Exercisable	Expiratio Date	n Title	9	Amount or Number of Shares	Deriva Securi	tive	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

EXHIBIT LIST: EX-24 Jeff Carcara POA EX 24, GRAPHIC Jeff Carcara POA

/s/Kelly Lefferts, Attorney in Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

02/14/2019

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 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).

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all by these presents that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Joseph J. Kadow, David J. Deno, Kelly Lefferts and Janet A. Spreen signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Bloomin' Brands, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), a Form ID and Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder; and
- do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form ID and Form 3, 4 or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto. and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of the date set forth below.

Jeffrey Carcara
Date: 2 7 , 2019