FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] NUNNELLY MARK E						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Bloomin' Brands, Inc. [BLMN]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director X 10% Owner			
(Last)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/11/2012								Off	icer (give title ow)		(specify
C/O BAIN CAPITAL INVESTORS, LLC JOHN HANCOCK TOWER 200 CLARENDON ST.					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							· I	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person			
(Street) BOSTON MA			02116									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State)		(Zip)	Zip)													
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			Date Ex (Month/Day/Year) if a		2A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securiti Disposed and 5)				6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Report Transa		(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock			09/11/2012	1/2012		S		846,229	¹⁾ D	\$10.34	67,527,489		Ι	See Footnotes: ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾⁽⁷⁾		
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Derivative Conversion D Security or Exercise (I		on 3A. Deemed Execution D if any (Month/Day/	ate,	4. Transac Code (Ir 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amoun Securit Underl Derivat	t of ies ying ive y (Instr. -)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A) (D		Date Exercisable	Expiratior Date	n Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. These shares of Bloomin' Brands, Inc. common stock were sold by the reporting person pursuant to the underwriter's partial exercise of its option to purchase additional shares of Bloomin' Brands, Inc. common stock under the underwriting agreement entered into in connection with the initial public offering of Bloomin' Brands, Inc. common stock.

2. Mr. Mark Nunnelly is a Managing Director of Bain Capital Investors, LLC ("BCI"). BCI is the sole general partner of Bain Capital Partners IX, L.P. ("BCP IX"), which is the sole general partner of Bain

Capital (OSI) IX, L.P. ("BC OSI IX").

3. BCI is also the sole general partner of BCP IX, which is also the sole general partner of Bain Capital (OSI) IX Coinvestment, L.P. ("BC OSI IX-CO").

4. BCI is also the managing partner of BCIP Associates-G ("BCIP G").

5. BCI is also the administrative member of Bain Capital Integral Investors 2006, LLC ("BCI 2006").

6. BCI is also the administrative member of BCIP TCV, LLC ("BCIP TCV" and together with BC OSI IX, BC OSI IX-CO, BCIP G and BCI 2006, the "Bain Entities").

7. By virtue of these relationships described in the foregoing footnotes, Mr. Nunnelly may be deemed to share voting and dispositive power with respect to all of the shares of Common Stock held by the Bain Entities. Mr. Nunnelly disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

 Mark E. Nunnelly
 09/12/2012

 ** 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).

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