FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Scarlett Gregg						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Bloomin' Brands, Inc. [ BLMN ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
					_	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)									Directo	r (give title		10% Ov Other (s			
(Last)	(Fi	rst) (	Middle)		02/2	02/24/2017									below)			below)	·		
2202 N.											EVP&I	Pres. Outl	oack	Steakhou	se						
(Street)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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(City)	(St	tate) (	Zip)																		
		Tab	le I - N	lon-Deri	vative	Sec	urities	s Acc	uired,	Dis	posed of	, or Be	nefici	ially	Owned						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transad Date (Month/Da		Exe	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securiti Disposed and 5)				5. Amou Securitie Beneficia	es		: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial			
				(	.,,		Month/Day/Year)		8)		J,		_		Owned		Indirect (I)	ect (I)	Ownership Instr. 4)		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)		Repor		ted action(s) 3 and 4)						
Common	Stock			02/25/	2017				M		3,640	A	\$	6 <mark>0</mark>	25,533		3 D				
Common	Stock			02/25/2017				F		975	D		S <mark>O</mark>	24,	1,558		D				
Common	Stock			02/26/2017				A		878(1)	A	\$17	7.09	25,436		D					
Common	Stock			02/26/	2017			F		233(2)	D	\$17	7.09	25,	25,203		D				
Common Stock				02/27/	02/27/2017				A		847(1)	A	\$17	7.27	26,050		D				
Common Stock 02/				02/27/	2017	017			F		230 <sup>(2)</sup> D \$		\$17	7.27	25,	820	D				
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion   Date   Execut   or Exercise   (Month/Day/Year)   if any		emed on Date, /Day/Year)		ransaction Code (Instr.				Exercion Day/N			of es ng re	0 E S	. Price f Perivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ble	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of itle Shares			(Instr. 4)					
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0	02/24/2017			A		20,200		(3)		(4)	Common Stock	20,20	00	\$0	20,200	)	D			
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0	02/25/2017			М			3,640	(5)		(4)	Common Stock	3,64	0	\$0	10,922	2	D			
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$17.27	02/24/2017			A		48,119		(6)		02/24/2027	Common Stock	48,11	19	\$0	48,119	)	D			
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0								(7)		(4)	Common Stock	25,00	00		25,000	)	D			
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.0								(8)		(4)	Common Stock	18,75	50		18,750	)	D			
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$17.96								(9)		08/01/2026	Common Stock	100,0	000		100,00	0	D			
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$17.8								(10)		03/01/2026	Common Stock	42,05	56		42,056	5	D			

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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr.				6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)		
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$17.15							(11)	02/25/2026	Common Stock	33,946		33,946	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$24.14							(12)	03/12/2025	Common Stock	100,000		100,000	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$25.36							(13)	02/26/2025	Common Stock	14,706		14,706	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$25.32							(14)	02/27/2024	Common Stock	12,166		12,166	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$18.73							(15)	02/01/2023	Common Stock	75,000		75,000	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$6.5							(15)	09/02/2020	Common Stock	37,140		37,140	D	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$6.5							(16)	04/06/2020	Common Stock	42,860		42,860	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents shares of common stock acquired upon vesting of certain performance-based share units as a result of achievement of performance goals.
- 2. These shares were withheld by the issuer to pay for the applicable withholding tax due upon vesting of certain performance-based share units.
- 3. These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 20,200, will begin vesting in four equal annual installments on February 24, 2018.
- 4. This field is not applicable.
- 5. These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 14,562, began vesting in four equal annual installments on February 25, 2017.
- 6. These stock options, in the original grant amount of 48,119, will begin vesting in four equal annual installments on February 24, 2018.
- 7. These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 25,000, will begin vesting in four equal annual installments on August 1, 2017.
- 8. These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 25,000, began vesting in four equal annual installments on March 12, 2016.
- 9. These stock options, in the original grant amount of 100,000, will begin vesting in four equal annual installments on August 1, 2017.
- 10. This stock option vests on March 1, 2018.
- 11. These stock options, in the original grant amount of 33,946, began vesting in four equal annual installments on February 25, 2017.
- 12. These stock options, in the original grant amount of 100,000, began vesting in four equal annual installments on March 12, 2016.
- 13. These stock options, in the original grant amount of 14,706, began vesting in four equal annual installments on February 26, 2016.
- 14. These stock options, in the original grant amount of 12,166, began vesting in four equal annual installments on February 27, 2015.
- 15. These stock options are fully vested.
- 16. These stock options are replacement stock options and are fully vested.

## Remarks:

/s/ Kelly Lefferts, as Attorney-02/28/2017 in-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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