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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Shlemon Steven T					Bloc	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Bloomin' Brands, Inc. [BLMN]									elationship ck all appli Directo	,		rson(s) to Is	
(Last)	(Fi	rst) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/26/2013								3	Officer below)	cer (give title ow)		Other (specify below)	
2202 NORTH WEST SHORE BLVD															EVP	& Preside	nt of	of Carrabba's	
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		Tab	le I - N	on-Deriv	ative S	Sec	urities	Acc	quired, D	isp	osed o	f, or Be	nefic	ciall	y Owned	t			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. and 5)						ies Fo cially (D)		n: Direct or rect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date,		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of E		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Beneficial	Owners Form: Direct (I or Indir (I) (Instr 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.	Beneficial) Ownership	
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Stock Option (right to buy)	\$17.4	02/26/2013			A		27,206		02/26/2014 ⁽¹⁾	02	2/26/2023	Common Stock	27,2	206	\$17.4	27,206		D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Twenty-five percent (25%) of these options become exercisable on the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the date granted.

Remarks:

/s/Kelly lefferts, as Attorneyin-Fact

02/28/2013

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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