

Bloomin' Brands, Inc.
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Levy Tara Walpert

(Last) (First) (Middle)

2202 NORTH WEST SHORE
 BOULEVARD

(Street)

TAMPA, FL 33607

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Bloomin' Brands, Inc. [BLMN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 04/21/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	04/21/2017		M		1,473	A	\$ 0
					9,478		
Common Stock	04/21/2017		M		1,992	A	\$ 0
					11,470		
Common Stock	04/21/2017		M		1,587	A	\$ 0
					13,057		

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

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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. 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)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	04/21/2017		A	5,308	(1) (2)	Common Stock	5,308
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	04/21/2017		M	1,992	(3) (2)	Common Stock	1,992
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	04/21/2017		M	1,473	(4) (2)	Common Stock	1,473
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	04/21/2017		M	1,587	(5) (2)	Common Stock	1,587

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

Levy Tara Walpert
2202 NORTH WEST SHORE BOULEVARD X
TAMPA, FL 33607

Signatures

Kelly Lefferts, as
Attorney-in-Fact 04/25/2017

__Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(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).
- (1) These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 5,308, will begin vesting in three equal annual installments immediately prior to the issuer's annual meeting of stockholders in 2018.

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- (2) This field is not applicable.
- (3) These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 5,978, will begin vesting in three equal annual installments on April 21, 2017.
- (4) These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 4,419, began vesting in three equal annual installments on April 22, 2016.
- (5) These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 4,760, began vesting in three equal annual installments on April 29, 2015.

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