ROETH GEORGE C

Form 4

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# FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading ROETH GEORGE C

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

CENTRAL GARDEN & PET CO

(Check all applicable)

[CENT]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

\_X\_\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title

(Month/Day/Year)

02/13/2019

below) President and CEO

C/O CENTRAL GARDEN & PET COMPANY, 1340 TREAT BLVD, **SUITE 600** 

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

WALNUT CREEK, CA 94597

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or		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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Class A Common Stock	02/13/2019		Code V  A	Amount 44,120 (1)	(D)	Price	113,388	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/13/2019		A	25,575 (2)	A	\$ 0	138,963	D	
Units							405.3146	I	By 401(k) Plan (3)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.2	02/12/2019		A	101,080 (4)	<u>(5)</u>	02/13/2025	Class A Common Stock	101,080

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer		

ROETH GEORGE C C/O CENTRAL GARDEN & PET COMPANY 1340 TREAT BLVD, SUITE 600 WALNUT CREEK, CA 94597

X

President and CEO

Other

#### **Signatures**

/s/George Roeth 02/13/2019

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

# **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) The restricted shares are granted pursuant to the Company's 2003 Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan and shall vest in tw0 annual increments of 50% beginning on February 13, 2024.
- (2) The restricted shares are granted pursuant to the Company's 2003 Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan and shall vest in four annual increments of 25% beginning on February 13, 2020.
- (3) The units represent interests in the CENTA Stock Fund in the Issuer's 401(k) Plan, which consist of shares of CENTA stock and cash.
- (4) Stock options granted under the Company's 2003 Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan, as amended.
- (5) The options shall vest in four annual increments of 25% beginning on February 13, 2020.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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