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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 *
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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Blue Bird Corp [BLBD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
09/14/2018

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

C/O BLUE BIRD CORPORATION, 3920 ARKWRIGHT ROAD SUITE 200
(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

MACON, GA 31210

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
				Code	V	Amount		
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	09/14/2018		M	200,000	A	\$ 10.05	456,333	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	09/14/2018		F	133,946	D	\$ 25.4	322,387	D

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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)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.05	09/14/2018		M	200,000	<u>(1)</u> 03/23/2025	Common Stock	200,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Horlock Phil C/O BLUE BIRD CORPORATION 3920 ARKWRIGHT ROAD SUITE 200 MACON, GA 31210	X		President and CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Paul Yousif as attorney-in-fact 09/18/2018

__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) The stock options to purchase shares of common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share (the "Common Stock"), of Blue Bird Corporation were granted under the 2015 Omnibus Incentive Plan. Stock options to purchase 150,000 shares of Common Stock were scheduled to vest on September 24, 2016; the remaining stock options to purchase 250,000 shares of Common Stock were scheduled to vest on March 24, 2018. All of these option awards vested upon the Change in Control of Blue Bird Corporation on June 8, 2016.

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