Bloomin' Brands, Inc. Form 4 September 06, 2016

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Kappitt Michael

> (First) (Middle)

2202 NORTH WEST SHORE

BOULEVARD. SUITE 500

(Street)

TAMPA, FL 33607

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Bloomin' Brands, Inc. [BLMN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/01/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3.

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

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

EVP & President of Carrabba's

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

D

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

(A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common 09/01/2016 Stock

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or

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)

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	ior	of Der Sec Acc (A) Dis of (mber rivative curities quired or aposed D) str. 3, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	7	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0							(2)	(3)	Common Stock	25,000
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0							<u>(4)</u>	(3)	Common Stock	11,201
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0							(5)	(3)	Common Stock	12,500
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.8							<u>(6)</u>	03/01/2026	Common Stock	50,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.15							<u>(7)</u>	02/25/2026	Common Stock	26,113
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.36							(8)	02/26/2025	Common Stock	15,074
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.32							<u>(9)</u>	02/27/2024	Common Stock	12,490
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 23.87							(10)	01/02/2024	Common Stock	100,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.4							(11)	02/26/2023	Common Stock	10,021
	\$ 10.03							(12)	07/05/2021		49,227

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Stock Common Option Stock (right to

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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Signatures

buy)

/s/ Kelly Lefferts, as Attorney-in-Fact

09/06/2016

Date

**Signature of 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) Certain of these shares represent restricted stock issued under a Bloomin' Brands, Inc. stock plan and are subject to risk of forfeiture. Of such shares, 6,250 continue to be subject to forfeiture under the plan.
- These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 25,000, will begin vesting in four equal annual installments on February 12, 2017.
- (3) This field is not applicable.
- These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 11,201, will begin vesting in four equal annual installments on February 25, 2017
- (5) These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 25,000, began vesting in four equal annual installments on January 2, 2015.
- (6) These stock options, in the original grant amount of 50,000, will begin vesting in four equal annual installments on February 12, 2017.
- (7) These stock options, in the original grant amount of 26,113, will begin vesting in four equal annual installments on February 25, 2017.
- (8) These stock options, in the original grant amount of 15,074, began vesting in four equal annual installments on February 26, 2016.
- (9) These stock options, in the original grant amount of 12,490, began vesting in four equal annual installments on February 27, 2015.
- (10) These stock options, in the original grant amount of 100,000, began vesting in four equal annual installments on January 2, 2015.
- (11) These stock options, in the original grant amount of 10,021, began vesting in four equal annual installments on February 26, 2014.
- (12) These stock options are fully vested.

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