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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

Common

Stock

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Buck Michele**

(Middle)

(First)

100 CRYSTAL A DRIVE

(Street)

(State)

09/27/2017

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

HERSHEY CO [HSY]

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

09/27/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

President and CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

HERSHEY, PA 17033

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

(Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

Code (Instr. 8)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Amount

4. Securities

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

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

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

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of

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

 $S^{(1)}$ 400 D 165,297 D 108

(A)

or

(D)

Common 401(k) 174.818 I Stock Plan

Code V

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	2.	3. Transaction Date		4.	5.	6. Date Exer		7. Title		8. Price of	9. Nu
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					(A) or						Repo
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					of (D)						(Instr
					(Instr. 3,						
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						Excicisable			of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Relationships

Reporting Owners

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

Buck Michele

100 CRYSTAL A DRIVE X President and CEO

HERSHEY, PA 17033

Signatures

/s/ James Turoff, Agent for Michele G. 09/28/2017 Buck

> **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 sales reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 26, 2017. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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