

Scarlett Gregg
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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 *
Scarlett Gregg

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2202 N. WEST SHORE BLVD.

(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)
03/12/2018

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)
EVP&Pres. Outback Steakhouse

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 or Price			
Common Stock	03/12/2018		M		6,250 (1)	A	\$ 0 6,999	D
Common Stock	03/12/2018		F		2,460 (2)	D	\$ 24.37 4,539	D

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)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽³⁾	03/12/2018		M	6,250 ₍₄₎	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	6,250
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽³⁾					<u>(7)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	15,789
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽³⁾					<u>(8)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	15,150
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽³⁾					<u>(9)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	18,750
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0 ⁽³⁾					<u>(10)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	7,281
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.1					<u>(11)</u>	02/23/2028	Common Stock	36,974
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.8					<u>(12)</u>	03/01/2026	Common Stock	42,056
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.27					<u>(13)</u>	02/24/2027	Common Stock	36,090
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.96					<u>(14)</u>	08/01/2026	Common Stock	100,000
Stock Option	\$ 17.15					<u>(15)</u>	02/25/2026	Common Stock	16,973

(right to buy)						
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 24.14	(16)	04/01/2025	Common Stock	100,000	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.36	(17)	02/26/2025	Common Stock	14,706	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.32	(12)	02/27/2024	Common Stock	12,166	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.73	(12)	02/01/2023	Common Stock	75,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Scarlett Gregg 2202 N. WEST SHORE BLVD. TAMPA, FL 33607			EVP&Pres. Outback Steakhouse	

Signatures

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

03/13/2018

__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) These shares of common stock were acquired upon the vesting and settlement of certain restricted stock units.
- (2) These common shares were delivered to the issuer to pay for the applicable withholding tax due upon vesting of certain restricted stock units.
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock of the issuer upon vesting of the unit.
- (4) These restricted stock units were surrendered in exchange for common shares of the issuer.
- (5) These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 25,000, began vesting in four equal annual installments on March 12, 2016.
- (6) This field is not applicable.
- (7) These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 15,789, will begin vesting in four equal annual installments on February 23, 2019.

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- (8) These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 20,200, began vesting in four equal annual installments on February 24, 2018.
- (9) These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 25,000, began vesting in four equal annual installments on August 1, 2017.
- (10) These restricted stock units, in the original grant amount of 14,562, began vesting in four equal annual installments on February 25, 2017.
- (11) These stock options, in the original grant amount of 36,974 will begin vesting in four equal annual installments on February 23, 2019.
- (12) These stock options are fully vested.
- (13) These stock options, in the original grant amount of 48,119, began vesting in four equal annual installments on February 24, 2018.
- (14) These stock options, in the original grant amount of 100,000, began vesting in four equal annual installments on August 1, 2017.
- (15) These stock options, in the original grant amount of 33,946, began vesting in four equal annual installments on February 25, 2017.
- (16) These stock options, in the original grant amount of 100,000, began vesting in four equal annual installments on March 12, 2016.
- (17) These stock options, in the original grant amount of 14,706, began vesting in four equal annual installments on February 26, 2016.

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