

Bloomin' Brands, Inc.
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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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 *
KADOW JOSEPH JOHN

(Last) (First) (Middle)
**2202 NORTH WEST SHORE
BLVD, SUITE 500**

(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)
01/08/2015

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, Chief Legal Officer

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 | (A) or (D) | Price |
| Common Stock | 01/08/2015 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | | 200,000 | A | \$ 6.5 |
| | | | | | | | 508,722 |
| Common Stock | 01/08/2015 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 200,000 | D | \$ 25.05 |
| | | | | | | | 308,722 |
| | | | | | | | ⁽²⁾ |

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 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 6.5 | 01/08/2015 | | M ⁽¹⁾ | 200,000 | ⁽³⁾ | 04/06/2020 | Common Stock | 200,000 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 10.03 | | | | | ⁽⁴⁾ | 12/09/2021 | Common Stock | 134,250 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 17.4 | | | | | ⁽⁵⁾ | 02/26/2023 | Common Stock | 30,229 |
| Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 25.32 | | | | | ⁽⁶⁾ | 02/27/2024 | Common Stock | 24,331 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| KADOW JOSEPH JOHN 2202 NORTH WEST SHORE BLVD SUITE 500 TAMPA, FL 33607 | | | EVP, Chief Legal Officer | |

Signatures

/s/ Kelly Lefferts, as
Attorney-in-Fact
Date: 01/12/2015

__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) This transaction was effected by the reporting person pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

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- (2) Multiple lots for the same price for this order have been combined.
- (3) This stock option is a replacement stock option and is fully vested.
- (4) This option vests in five equal installments beginning on December 9, 2012.
- (5) This stock option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on February 26, 2014.
- (6) This stock option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on February 27, 2015.

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