Carmichael Beverly K Form 4 February 12, 2019

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Carmichael Beverly K

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

RED ROBIN GOURMET **BURGERS INC [RRGB]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/11/2019

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

6312 S. FIDDLER'S GREEN

(First)

CIR., SUITE 200N

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Middle)

(Zip)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3.

Chief People Officer 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

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

Person

below)

GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111

> (City) (State)

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

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

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

4. Securities

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Beneficial (D) or Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

5,551 (2)

or Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

Common Stock

02/11/2019(1)

Α 474 (1) A \$0

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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	Secui
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					(Instr. 3,						`
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						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	Date		Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Carmichael Beverly K 6312 S. FIDDLER'S GREEN CIR.			Chief				
SUITE 200N GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111			People Officer				

Signatures

/s/ Michael L. Kaplan, Attorney-in-Fact

02/12/2019

**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).
 - On March 15, 2018, the reporting person received a grant of performance share units (PSUs) representing 3,291 shares of the issuer's common stock (at target). The PSUs cliff vest at the end of a three year performance cycle, generally subject to the reporting person's continued employment through the applicable vesting date, with the number of PSUs earned and issued determined based on achievement
- (1) of performance objectives approved by the issuer's compensation committee for each year in the performance cycle. On February 11, 2019, the compensation committee determined that the objectives for the first tranche (2018) were achieved at a level resulting in 474 shares being earned by the reporting person. The shares issued will not vest until the end of the three year performance cycle on December 27, 2020.
- (2) Includes 4,894 shares subject to vesting and forfeiture restrictions.

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