Bloomin' Brands, Inc. Form 4 October 02, 2015

## 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).

1. Name and A Murtha Patri	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Bloomin' Brands, Inc. [BLMN]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
(Last) 2202 NORT	(First) (	(Middle)		of Earliest Transaction  Day/Year)				(Check all applicable)  Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify			
BOULEVA	RD, SUITE 500							below) EVP & PRESID	below) DENT,INTERN	ATIONAL	
				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
TAMPA, FI	L 33607							Form filed by N	More than One Re	porting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Dat (Month/Day/Year)	Execution any	ned n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	10/01/2015			M	7,500 (1)	A	\$ 0	7,500	D		
Common Stock	10/01/2015			F	2,052 (2)	D	\$ 18.18	5,448	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Acqu (A) o Disp (D)	urities uired or oosed of rr. 3, 4,	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	Amoun Number Shares
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	10/01/2015		M		7,500 (3)	10/01/2015 <u>(4)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	7,50
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.36						<u>(6)</u>	12/02/2023	Common Stock	175,0
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.36						02/26/2016(7)	02/26/2025	Common Stock	22,05

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address			Kelationships	
	D:	100/ 0	Off:	O41

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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Murtha Patrick C

2202 NORTH WEST SHORE

BOULEVARD

SUITE 500

**TAMPA, FL 33607** 

EVP &

PRESIDENT, INTERNATIONAL

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Kelly Lefferts, as

Attorney-in-Fact 10/02/2015

\*\*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) These shares of common stock were acquired upon the vesting and settlement of certain restricted stock units.
- (2) These shares were withheld by the issuer to pay for the applicable withholding tax due upon vesting of certain restricted stock units.
- (3) These restricted stock units were surrendered in exchange for shares of common stock of the issuer.

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- (4) These restricted stock units vest in four equal annual installments beginning on October 1, 2015.
- (5) This field is not applicable.
- (6) This stock option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on December 2, 2014.
- (7) This stock option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on February 26, 2016.

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