Bloomin' Brands, Inc. Form 4 October 29, 2013

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 Address of Reporting Person * Smith Jeffrey S	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Bloomin' Brands, Inc. [BLMN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
2202 NORTH WEST SHORE BLVD, SUITE 500	(Month/Day/Year) 10/28/2013	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP&Pres Outback Steakhouse		
(Street)	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, FL 33607		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Table Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	ecuriti	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3.	4. Securit		•	5. Amount of		7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Dis	sposed	of	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4	4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
C			Code v	Amount	(D)	τ iice			
Common	10/28/2013		$M_{\underline{(1)}}$	25,000	Α	\$	50,000	D	
Stock	10/20/2015			20,000		6.5	20,000	2	
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Common	10/28/2013		$S^{(1)}$	25,000	D	\$ 24	25,000	D	
Stock			~ _	,000	_	- - ·	,	_	

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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 on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (right to buy) (2)	\$ 6.5	10/28/2013		M(1)	25,000	(3)	04/06/2020	Common Stock	25,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 17.4					02/26/2014(4)	02/26/2023	Common Stock	43,409

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Smith Jeffrey S 2202 NORTH WEST SHORE BLVD SUITE 500 TAMPA, FL 33607

EVP&Pres Outback Steakhouse

Signatures

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

**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.
 - On April 6, 2010, the reporting person was granted a replacement stock option with an exercise price of \$6.50 in exchange for an outstanding stock option with an exercise price of \$10.00 per share. The original stock option was cancelled. Under the exchange
- program, the vested portion of the eligible stock options as of the grant date of the replacement stock options were exchanged for stock options that were fully vested. The unvested portion of the exchanged stock options were exchanged for unvested replacement stock options that vest and become exercisable over a period of time that is equal to the remaining vesting period of the exchanged stock options, plus one year, subject to the participant's continued employment through the new vesting date.
- (3) This option is a replacement stock option and the remaining unvested portion vests in four equal installments beginning on October 25, 2010.

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(4) Twenty-five percent (25%) of these options become exercisable on the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the date granted. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, <i>see</i> 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.