D'Emilio Julie Form 4 December 05, 2017

## 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).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * D'Emilio Julie			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CARTERS INC [CRI]				5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)  3438 PEAC NE, SUITE	(First) CHTREE ROAL L 1800	(Middle)		f Earliest T Day/Year) 017	ransaction	1		Director Officer (give below)	10%	Owner er (specify	
ATLANTA	(Street)			endment, D nth/Day/Yea	Č	al		6. Individual or Jo Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by O Form filed by M Person		rson	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Day/Yea	r) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	4. Secur or(A) or E (Instr. 3	oispose , 4 and (A) or	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)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	12/01/2017			M	3,000	A	\$ 22.79	19,319 <u>(1)</u>	D		
Common Stock	12/01/2017			S	3,000	D	\$ 108.25	16,252 (1) (3)	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
Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.79	12/01/2017		M	3,000	12/03/2008(4)	12/03/2017	Common Stock	3,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
<b></b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
D'Emilio Julie 3438 PEACHTREE ROAD NE SUITE 1800 ATLANTA, GA 30326			EVP, Sales				

### **Signatures**

/s/Michael C. Wu, Attorney-in-Fact

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Da

## **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) Some of these shares are restricted shares that are subject to either time-vesting or performance-based restrictions.
- This is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple trade executions at prices ranging from \$108.00 to \$108.50, inclusive.
- (2) Upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, the Reporting Person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) The amount of securities beneficially owned includes 67 fewer shares of common stock than would otherwise be reflected in order to remedy an inadvertent clerical error in previous Section 16 filings for Ms. D'Emilio.
- (4) These options are all exercisable.

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