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March 13, 2015 FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANCE COMMISSION											
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Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b). Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940											
(Print or Type	Responses)										
			Symbol	-				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			Sprouts Farmers Market, Inc. [SFM]					(Check all applicable)			
(M			(Month/I	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/11/2015				Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chief Development Officer			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li> <li>Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> </ul>				
PHOENIX, AZ 85054 — Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							porting				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deem Execution any (Month/D	Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		(D)	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code V	Amount	or	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per	03/11/2015			S <u>(1)</u>	547	D	\$ 34.3499 (2)	<b>2</b> ,128 $(3)$	D		
share											

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)		8 I S (1
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.33	03/11/2015		A	12,271	<u>(4)</u>	03/11/2022	Common stock, par value \$0.001 per share	12,271	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Frumkin Theodore Edward II 5455 EAST HIGH STREET SUITE 111 PHOENIX, AZ 85054			Chief Developmer	ıt Officer				
Signatures								
/s/ Brandon F. Lombardi, Attor Frumkin	03/13/2015							

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

# **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) The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person.

(2) The reported price in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$34.20 to \$34.67 per share, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

Date

Consists of 500 shares of common stock and 1,628 restricted stock units. Each restricted stock unit represents the right to receive, upon vesting, one share of common stock. These restricted stock units will vest over three years, with one-third vested on March 4, 2015;

- (3) vesting, one share of common stock. These restricted stock units will vest over three years, with one-third vested on March 4, 2013, one-third vesting on March 4, 2016; and the remaining one-third vesting on March 4, 2017, assuming continued employment through the applicable vesting date.
- (4) These options become exercisable in twelve equal quarterly installments at the end of each calendar quarter beginning March 31, 2015 and continuing through December 31, 2017.

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