Bloomin' Brands, Inc. Form 4 March 03, 2014

FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JUDGE STEPHEN K

(First) (Middle) (Last)

2202 NORTH WEST SHORE **BLVD**

(Street)

(State)

(Zip)

TAMPA, FL 33607

(City)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Bloomin' Brands, Inc. [BLMN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

02/27/2014

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

EVP & Pres. of Bonefish Grill

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

(D) or Indirect Beneficial

7. Nature of

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Indirect

Applicable Line)

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

(T)

(Instr. 4)

Person

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

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Following

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

Reported (A)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (a or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	d of				
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 25.32	02/27/2014		A	24,331		02/27/2015(1)	02/27/2024	Common Stock	24,33
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.73						(2)	02/01/2023	Common Stock	300,00

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

JUDGE STEPHEN K 2202 NORTH WEST SHORE BLVD TAMPA, FL 33607

EVP & Pres. of Bonefish Grill

Signatures

/s/ Kelly Lefferts as Attorney-in-Fact 03/03/2014

**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 stock option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on February 27, 2015.
- (2) This stock option vests in four equal annual installments beginning on January 1, 2015.

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