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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement Bloomin' Brands, Inc. [BLMN] A Meyer Christopher Adkins (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2019 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 2202 N. WEST SHORE (Check all applicable) BLVD, Â SUITE 500 (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting EVP, Chief Financial Officer Person TAMPA, FLÂ 33607 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock D 4,238 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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3. Title and Amount of 1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and 5. 6. Nature of Indirect Securities Underlying (Instr. 4) **Expiration Date** Conversion Ownership Beneficial Ownership (Month/Day/Year) **Derivative Security** or Exercise Form of (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Price of Derivative Derivative Security: Title Direct (D) Security

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	(2)	Common Stock	3,726	\$ 0 (3)	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	(4)	(2)	Common Stock	2,313	\$ 0 (3)	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	(5)	(2)	Common Stock	1,845	\$ 0 (3)	D	Â
Restricted Stock Units	(6)	(2)	Common Stock	903	\$ 0 (3)	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	(7)	02/19/2029	Common Stock	9,682	\$ 21.29	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	(8)	02/23/2028	Common Stock	7,222	\$ 24.1	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	(9)	02/24/2027	Common Stock	6,591	\$ 17.27	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	(10)	02/25/2026	Common Stock	4,207	\$ 17.15	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	(11)	02/26/2025	Common Stock	6,251	\$ 25.36	D	Â
Stock Option (right to buy)	(12)	02/27/2024	Common Stock	3,194	\$ 25.32	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
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Meyer Christopher Adkins 2202 N. WEST SHORE BLVD SUITE 500 TAMPA, FL 33607	Â	Â	EVP, Chief Financial Officer	Â		

Signatures

/s/ Kelly Lefferts, Attorney
in Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) On February 19, 2019, these restricted stock units were granted in the original amount of 3,726, which vest in three equal annual installments, with a final vesting in 2022.

(2) This field is not applicable.

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- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents the contingent right to receive one share of common stock of the issuer upon vesting of the unit.
- (4) On February 23, 2018, these restricted stock units were granted in the original amount of 3,084, which vest in four equal annual installments, with a final vesting in 2022.
- On February 24, 2017, these restricted stock units were granted in the original amount of 3,689, which vest in four equal annual installments, with a final vesting in 2021.
- (6) On February 25, 2016, these restricted stock units were granted in the original amount of 3,610, which vest in four equal annual installments, with a final vesting in 2020.
- On February 19, 2019, these stock options were granted in the original amount of 9,682, which vest in three equal annual installments, with a final vesting in 2022.
- (8) On February 23, 2018, these stock options were granted in the original amount of 7,222, which vest in four equal annual installments, with a final vesting in 2022.
- (9) On February 24, 2017, these stock options were granted in the original amount of 8,787, which vest in four equal annual installments, with a final vesting in 2021.
- (10) On February 25, 2016, these stock options were granted in the original amount of 8,414, which vest in four equal annual installments, with a final vesting in 2020.
- (11) On February 26, 2015, these stock options were granted in the original amount of 6,251, which vest in four equal annual installments, with a final vesting in 2019.
- (12) On February 27, 2014, these stock options were granted in the original amount of 3,194, which vest in four equal annual installments, with a final vesting in 2018.

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