

Centre Partners V, L.P.
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Centre Partners V, L.P.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
LIFETIME BRANDS, INC [LCUT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O CENTRE PARTNERS
MANAGEMENT LLC, 825 THIRD
AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/15/2018

___ Director ___X___ 10% Owner
___ Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
___ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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) |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V | Amount (A) or (D) Price | | |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.01, per share | 11/15/2018 | | P | | 1,116 (1) \$ 10.4848 (2) | 5,622,445 (3) I | See footnotes (4) (5) (6) |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.01, per share | 11/19/2018 | | P | | 9,337 (1) \$ 10.7796 (7) | 5,631,782 (3) I | See footnotes (4) (5) (6) |
| | | | | | | 7,086 | D (6) (8) |

Common
Stock, par
value
\$0.01, per
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. 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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Centre Partners V, L.P. C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | |
| Centre Capital Investors V LP C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | |
| Centre Partners V LLC C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | |
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| JRJ V LP C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | |
| Harwich Road V LP C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | X |
| JRJ Inc. C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | X |
| Harwich Road Inc. C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | X |
| POLLACK BRUCE G C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | X |
| JAFFE DAVID C/O CENTRE PARTNERS MANAGEMENT LLC 825 THIRD AVENUE, 40TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | X |

Signatures

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| Centre Partners V, L.P., By: Centre Partners V LLC, Its: General Partner, By: /s/ William Tomai, Authorized Person | 11/19/2018 |
| __Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| Centre Capital Investors V LP, By: /s/ Bruce G. Pollack, Authorized Person | 11/19/2018 |
| __Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| Centre Partners V LLC, By: /s/ William Tomai, Authorized Person | 11/19/2018 |
| __Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| JRJ V LP, By: JRJ Inc., Its: General Partner, By: /s/ Bruce G. Pollack, President | 11/19/2018 |
| __Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| Harwich Road V LP, By: Harwich Road Inc., Its: General Partner, By: /s/ David L. Jaffe, President | 11/19/2018 |
| __Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| JRJ Inc., By: /s/ Bruce G. Pollack, President | 11/19/2018 |
| __Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| Harwich Road Inc., By: /s/ David L. Jaffe, President | 11/19/2018 |
| __Signature of Reporting Person | Date |
| /s/ Bruce G. Pollack | 11/19/2018 |

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ David L. Jaffe

11/19/2018

__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) Represents shares of common stock purchased in open market transactions by Centre Capital Investors V, L.P. ("Centre Investors"). Centre Partners V, L.P. ("Centre Partners LP") is the sole general partner of Centre Investors.

The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The reporting persons undertake to provide to the Issuer, any security holder
- (2) 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 herein.
- (3) Includes 5,593,116 shares of common stock directly held by Taylor Parent, LLC ("Taylor Parent").

CP Taylor GP, LLC ("CP Taylor") has the authority to appoint the board of directors of Taylor Parent. Centre Partners, L.P. is the sole member of CP Taylor and the general partner of Centre Investors. Centre Partners V LLC ("Centre Partners") is the general partner of
- (4) Centre Partners LP. JRJ V LP ("JRJ LP") and Harwich Road V LP ("Harwich Road LP") are co-managers of Centre Partners. JRJ Inc. ("JRJ") is the general partner of JRJ LP. Harwich Road Inc. ("Harwich Road") is the general partner of Harwich Road LP. Bruce Pollack is the president of JRJ. David Jaffe is the president of Harwich Road. (Cont'd in FN 5)

(Cont'd from FN 4) As such, Centre Partners LP, Centre Partners, JRJ LP, Harwich Road LP, JRJ, Harwich Road, Bruce Pollack and
- (5) David Jaffe may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of the Issuer owned directly by Centre Investors and CP Taylor, Centre Partners LP, Centre Partners, JRJ LP, Harwich Road LP, JRJ, Harwich Road, Bruce Pollack and David Jaffe may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of the Issuer owned directly by Taylor Parent.
- (6) Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of the Issuer except to the extent of their respective pecuniary interest therein.

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- (7) 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 herein.
- (8) These shares are directly owned by Mr. Pollack.

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