#### TEMARES STEVEN H

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* TEMARES STEVEN H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

**BED BATH & BEYOND INC** 

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

[BBBY]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

below)

10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title

C/O BED BATH & BEYOND

(Month/Day/Year) 02/08/2013

Chief Executive Officer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

\_X\_\_ Director

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

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

INC., 650 LIBERTY AVENUE (Street)

UNION, NJ 07083

(Month/Day/Year)

(City) (State)

(Zip)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities Acquired (A) 3. Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Code V Amount

5. Amount of 6. Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported (I)

7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Beneficial Ownership Direct (D) or Indirect (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

Stock, par value 02/08/2013

M 27,746 Α \$ 38.765 575,064

(D)

D

share Common

\$0.01 per

Stock, par

S 27,746 D \$ 59.9579 547,318 (1)

D

value 02/08/2013 \$0.01 per

share

5,000 (2) I

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Common By Family Stock, par Limited value Partnership \$0.01 per

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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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 38.765	02/08/2013		M	27,746	(3)	04/25/2013	Common Stock	27,746

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
TEMARES STEVEN H							
C/O BED BATH & BEYOND INC. 650 LIBERTY AVENUE	X		Chief Executive Officer				

# UNION, NJ 07083 Signatures

share

/s/ Ori Solomon -Attorney-in-Fact 02/12/2013

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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# **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).
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$59.80 to \$60.10. The price reported above reflects the weighted (1) average sale price. Detailed information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price will be provided upon request by the Commission staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
- (2) Represents shares held by a family limited partnership established by Mr. Temares' mother. Mr. Temares disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) The stock option is fully exercisable.

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