CARTERS INC Form 4 March 02, 2016

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Wilson Jill			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol CARTERS INC [CRI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Sheek all applicable)		
3438 PEACHTREE ROAD NE, SUITE 1800			(Month/Day/Year) 02/29/2016	Director 10% Owner Sylvantification of the control		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
ATLANTA, GA 30326			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secui	rities Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y 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. Securi on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	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)
Common Stock	02/29/2016		M	1,500	A		25,726 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock	02/29/2016		M	1,250	A	\$ 28.04	26,976 <u>(1)</u>	D	
Common Stock	02/29/2016		M	725	A	\$ 28.44	27,701 (1)	D	
Common Stock	02/29/2016		S	6,185	D	\$ 102.26 (2)	21,516 (1)	D	

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

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## $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Secu Acqu (A) o Disp (D)	rities nired or osed of r. 3, 4,	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 Purchase)	\$ 26.49	02/29/2016		M		1,500	(3)	08/05/2019	Common Stock	1,500
Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 28.04	02/29/2016		M		1,250	(3)	02/16/2020	Common Stock	1,250
Employee Stock Option (Right to Purchase)	\$ 28.44	02/29/2016		M		725	(3)	02/24/2021	Common Stock	725

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Wilson Jill								
3438 PEACHTREE ROAD NE			SVP Human					
SUITE 1800			Resources					
ATLANTA, GA 30326								

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### **Signatures**

Michael C. Wu, Attorney-in-Fact for Jill Wilson 03/02/2016

\*\*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) Some of these shares are restricted shares that are subject to either time-vesting or performance-based restrictions.
  - This is a weighted average price. The shares were sold in multiple trade executions at prices ranging from \$102.00 to \$102.47, inclusive.
- (2) Upon request by the Commission staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, the Reporting Person will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) These options are all exercisable.

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