

CHEESECAKE FACTORY INC

Form 4

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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 *
ZURZOLO DEBBY R2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CHEESECAKE FACTORY INC
[CAKE]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
26901 MALIBU HILLS ROAD
(Street)3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
01/07/2015☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)
Exec VP, Gen Counsel & Secy

CALABASAS HILLS, CA 91301

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/07/2015		F	752 D \$ 51.7	14,400 ⁽¹⁾	D	
Common Stock	01/08/2015		M	5,000 ⁽³⁾ A \$ 36.87	28,101	I	By Trust ⁽²⁾
Common Stock	01/08/2015		S	5,000 ⁽³⁾ D \$ 51.93	23,101	I	By Trust ⁽²⁾
Common Stock					757	I	By IRA

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)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 36.87	01/08/2015		M	5,000	01/04/2007	01/04/2016	Common Stock	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
ZURZOLO DEBBY R 26901 MALIBU HILLS ROAD CALABASAS HILLS, CA 91301	Exec VP, Gen Counsel & Secy

Signatures

Debby Zurzolo 01/09/2015
 **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) Shares of restricted stock subject to forfeiture.
- (2) Held by the Debby R. Chinski Living Trust of which the reporting person is trustee.
- (3) Pursuant to 10b5-1 trading plan.

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