CARTERS INC Form 4

February 27, 2017

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Foglesong Greg			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CARTERS INC [CRI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
3438 PEACHTREE ROAD NE, SUITE 1800		AD	(Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2017	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
ATLANTA, O	GA 30326		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

ATLANTA, GA 30326

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Dat any (Month/Day/Y		3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	O) or Beneficial direct (I) Ownership
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/23/2017		A	84 (1)	A	\$ 0 (2)	23,596 (3)	D	
Common Stock	02/23/2017		F	999 (4)	D	\$ 87.06	22,597 (3)	D	

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)

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				Code V	(A) (D)			S	hares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> 10% Owner Officer Other Director

Foglesong Greg 3438 PEACHTREE ROAD NE **SUITE 1800** ATLANTA, GA 30326

EVP Retail, Marketing, Growth

Signatures

/s/Michael C. Wu, Attorney-in-Fact

02/27/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

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) Reflects the above-target vesting of performance shares that were initially issued and reported in February 2014.
- (2) Granted at no cost to the reporting person.
- Some of these shares are restricted shares that are subject to either time-vesting or performance-based restrictions.
- The transaction reported in this Form 4 reflects withholding of shares of common stock to satisfy tax withholding obligations resulting from the vesting of restricted stock.

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