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(Print or Type F	Responses)										
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> CROOM MARSHALL A			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol LOWES COMPANIES INC [LOW]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (M	iddle)	3. Date of	Earliest Tra	ansaction			(Chec	heck all applicable)		
1000 LOWE'S BOULEVARD (Street)			(Month/Day/Year) 09/15/2015 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)					Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chief Risk Officer			
								<ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li> <li>Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> <li> Form filed by More than One Reporting</li> </ul>			
MOORESV	ILLE, NC 28117							Person		eporting	
(City)	(State) (	Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ities Ac	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		. Transaction Date 2A. Deen Month/Day/Year) Execution any (Month/E				l of (D	)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 2 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
Common	09/15/2015			Code V A	Amount 3,630 (1)	(D) A	Price \$ 0	(Instr. 3 and 4) 51,651.3342	D		
Stock Common Stock					(1)			( <u>2)</u> 7,728.254	Ι	by 401(k) Plan	
Common Stock								839.902	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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Sh
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 69.44	09/15/2015		А	12,260	(3)	09/15/2025	Common Stock	12,2

## **Reporting Owners**

<b>Reporting Owner Name / Address</b>	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CROOM MARSHALL A 1000 LOWE'S BOULEVARD MOORESVILLE, NC 28117			Chief Risk Officer	r			
Signatures							
By: /s/ Sandra Felton by power Croom	of attorne	ey For: Mars	hall A.	09/17/2015			

\*\*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) Restricted stock granted pursuant to 2006 Long-Term Incentive Plan. The shares will fully vest on September 15, 2018.
- (2) Direct holdings include 178 shares acquired under the Lowe's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) The option vests in three annual installments beginning on September 15, 2016.

#### **Remarks:**

The information provided for the shares held by the 401(k) Plan in this report is based on a plan statement dated as of August 2

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