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

## FORM 8-K

## CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): September 29, 2025

# RED ROBIN GOURMET BURGERS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-34851 (Commission File Number)

84-1573084 (IRS Employer Identification Number)

10000 E. Geddes Avenue, Suite 500 Englewood, Colorado (Address of principal executive offices)

80112 (Zip Code)

	(Regi	(303) 846-6000 strant's telephone number, including area of	code)
	(Former r	Not Applicable name or former address, if changed since la	ast report)
Chec	k the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended	to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligat	ion of the registrant under any of the following provisions:
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Secu	rities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:		
	Title of each class Common Stock, \$0.001 par value	Trading symbol RRGB	Name of each exchange on which registered Nasdaq (Global Select Market)
	rate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growt ecurities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).	th company as defined in Rule 405 of the S	securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of
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#### **ITEM 5.02** Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On September 29, 2025, Robyn Arnell Brenden notified Red Robin Gourmet Burgers, Inc. (the "Company") of her resignation as Chief Accounting Officer of the Company, to be effective as of October 17, 2025. Ms. Arnell Brenden will continue in her role and assist in the transition of her responsibilities until her departure from the Company.

Effective immediately following Ms. Arnell Brenden's departure, Todd Wilson, the Company's Chief Financial Officer, will assume the responsibilities of the Company's principal accounting officer. Further information about Mr. Wilson's background and business experience can be found in "Item 1. Business - Executive Officers" of the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 29, 2024, filed with the Securities Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on February 26, 2025, which section is incorporated herein by reference. In connection with Mr. Wilson's assumption of these responsibilities, there will be no change in his compensation, a description of which can be found in the section titled "Employment Agreements, Separation Arrangements, and Executive Severance Plan" of the Company's Definitive Proxy Statement for the Company's 2025 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, filed with the SEC on April 24, 2025, which section is incorporated herein by reference.

#### **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: October 3, 2025

## RED ROBIN GOURMET BURGERS, INC.

By: /s/ Sarah A. Mussetter
Name: Sarah A. Mussetter
Title: Chief Legal Officer