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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 BRIGHTON TODD	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RED ROBIN GOURMET BURGERS INC [RRGB]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director10% Owner XOfficer (give title below)Other (specify below)				
(Last) (First) 6312 S. FIDDLER'S GREE 200N		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/26/2013						Chief Development (	Jincer		
(Street) GREENWOOD VILLAGE,		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form: of Indirec Beneficia	Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year)	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/26/2013		А		1,497 ( <u>1</u> )	А	\$ 0	33,483 <sup>(2)</sup>	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)															
1. Title of	2.			4.			ber	6. Date Exer		7. Title and	Amount	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transaction of		Expiration Date		of Underlying		Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect		
		(Month/Day/Year)		Code		Derivat		(Month/Day	/Year)	Securities Security		Security			Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	)			(Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr. 5)		2	Derivative	1			
	Derivative					-	cquired						(Instr. 4)		
	Security					(A) or					0	Direct (D)			
						Dispose	ed				*	or Indirect			
						of (D)							Transaction(s)	1 A A	
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						and 5)	<u> </u>		1						
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								Date	Expiration		or				
								Exercisable	Date		Number of				
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Employee															
Stock										Commun					
Option	\$ 42.07	02/26/2013		А		8,482		<u>(3)</u>	02/26/2023	Common	8,482	\$ 0	8,482	D	
(Right to		/		-		.,			,	Stock	.,		.,		
Buy)															

## **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships								
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
BRIGHTON TODD 6312 S. FIDDLER'S GREEN CIRCLE SUITE 200N GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111			Chief Development Officer						

# Signatures

/s/ Annita M. Menogan, Attorney-in-Fact	02/28/2013
**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).
- Represents a grant of time-based restricted stock units under the issuer's Second Amended and Restated 2007 Performance Incentive Plan. Each time-based restricted stock unit
   (1) represents the contingent right to receive, upon vesting of the unit, one share of the issuer's common stock. 25% of the units are scheduled to vest on each of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the date of grant. The closing price on the date of grant, February 26, 2013, was \$42.07.
- (2) Includes 8,010 restricted stock units subject to vesting and forfeiture restrictions.
- (3) 25% of the options are scheduled to vest on each of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of the date of grant.

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