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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan for the purchase or sale of equity securities of the issuer that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>Mayer Kevin E.</u> <hr/> (Last) (First) (Middle) 10000 E. GEDDES AVE. STE. 500 <hr/> (Street) ENGLEWOOD CO 80112 <hr/> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>RED ROBIN GOURMET BURGERS INC [RRGB]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>CHIEF MARKETING OFFICER</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>05/08/2024</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	05/08/2024		F		841 ⁽¹⁾	D	\$7.78	31,453	D	
Common Stock	05/08/2024		F		825 ⁽²⁾	D	\$7.78	30,628 ⁽³⁾	D	

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date					

Explanation of Responses:

- In connection with the vesting of 2,433 time-based restricted stock units that were granted on May 8, 2023, under the issuer's 2017 Performance Incentive Plan, as amended, the issuer withheld 841 of such shares to satisfy tax withholding obligations. The transaction was approved by the issuer's Compensation Committee in accordance with Rule 16b-3(d)(1) of the Exchange Act (the "Act"), and as such, is exempt from Section 16(b) of the Act pursuant to Rule 16b-3(e) promulgated thereunder.
- In connection with the vesting of 2,387 time-based restricted stock units that were granted on May 8, 2023, as a one-time award grant subject to all the terms and conditions of awards granted under the issuer's 2017 Performance Incentive Plan, as amended, the issuer withheld 825 of such shares to satisfy tax withholding obligations. The transaction was approved by the issuer's Compensation Committee in accordance with Rule 16b-3(d)(1) of the Exchange Act (the "Act"), and as such, is exempt from Section 16(b) of the Act pursuant to Rule 16b-3(e) promulgated thereunder.
- Includes 27,474 time-based restricted stock units subject to vesting and forfeiture restrictions.

/s/ Carrie Etherton, Attorney-in-Fact 05/10/2024

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* 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).

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