#### LOWES COMPANIES INC

Form 4 April 04, 2017

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Hollifield Matthew V	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) (First) (Middle)	LOWES COMPANIES INC [LOW] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
1000 LOWE'S BOULEVARD	(Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2017	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP Chief Accounting Officer			
(Street)	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			
MOORESVILLE, NC 28117		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative :	Securi	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed	d of (D)	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)
Common Stock	04/01/2017		Code V M	Amount 4,500	(D) A	Price \$ 0 (1)	33,191	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2017		F	1,483 (2)	D	\$ 82.21	31,708	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2017		A	790 (3)	A	\$0	32,498	D	

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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. Numb orDerivativ Securitie Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 5)	ve es d (A) or d of (D)	6. Date Exerc Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4	Secu
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ar or Nu of Sh
Performance Share Units	<u>(4)</u>	04/01/2017		M		4,500	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	4
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 82.21	04/01/2017		A	3,350		<u>(5)</u>	04/01/2027	Common Stock	3

## **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	•

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hollifield Matthew V 1000 LOWE'S BOULEVARD MOORESVILLE, NC 28117

**SVP Chief Accounting Officer** 

### **Signatures**

By: /s/ Sandra Felton by power of attorney For: Matthew V. Hollifield

04/04/2017

\*\*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) Each performance share unit represented a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock upon the achievement of certain pre-established metrics over the three-year performance period ending at the end of fiscal 2016.
- (2) Reflects shares delivered by reporting person to satisfy withholding taxes due upon vesting of performance share units granted on April 1, 2014.
- (3) Restricted stock granted pursuant to 2006 Long-Term Incentive Plan. The shares will fully vest on April 1, 2020.
- (4) At the vest date, the performance share units earned converted into an equivalent number of shares of the Issuer's common stock.
- (5) The option vests in three annual installments beginning on April 1, 2018.

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