

Linton-Smith Susan
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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 Person *
Linton-Smith Susan

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)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
6312 S. FIDDLER'S GREEN
CIRCLE, #200 N
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/24/2010

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Chief Marketing Officer

GREENWOOD
VILLAGE, CO 80111

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)	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/24/2010		F	279 ⁽¹⁾ D	\$ 20.09 8,599	D	
Common Stock	02/26/2010		F	233 ⁽²⁾ D	\$ 19.83 8,366 ⁽³⁾	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 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Transaction (Instr. 5)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Linton-Smith Susan 6312 S. FIDDLER'S GREEN CIRCLE #200 N GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111			Chief Marketing Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Attorney-in-Fact Annita M. Menogan 02/26/2010
__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) In connection with the vesting of 750 shares of restricted stock which were granted on February 24, 2009 under the issuer's Amended and Restated 2007 Performance Incentive Plan, the reporting person transferred 279 of such shares to the issuer to satisfy her tax withholding obligations. The sale 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, the sale is exempt from Section 16(b) of the Act pursuant to Rule 16b-3(e) promulgated thereunder.
- (2) In connection with the vesting of 625 shares of restricted stock which were granted on February 26, 2008 under the issuer's Amended and Restated 2007 Performance Incentive Plan, the reporting person transferred 233 of such shares to the issuer to satisfy her tax withholding obligations. The sale 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, the sale is exempt from Section 16(b) of the Act pursuant to Rule 16b-3(e) promulgated thereunder.
- (3) Includes 3,500 shares of restricted stock issued under the issuer's Amended and Restated 2007 Performance Incentive plan that are subject to vesting and forfeiture restrictions.

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