

ELMORE LEONARD J  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
ELMORE LEONARD J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
1 800 FLOWERS COM INC  
[FLWS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/03/2008

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

ONE OLD COUNTRY ROAD, SUITE 500

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

CARLE PLACE, NY 11514

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |     |       |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|-----|-------|
|                                 |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D)  | Code  | V  | Amount                            | (D) | Price |

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 | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 4. Transaction | 5. Number of Derivative | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities |
|------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---|--|
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| Security (Instr. 3)         | or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | any (Month/Day/Year) | Code (Instr. 8) | Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4) |                  |                 |                      |                            |  |
|-----------------------------|--|----------------------|-----------------|---|------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------|----------------------------|--|
|                             |  |                      | Code            | V   | (A)              | (D)              | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title                | Amount or Number of Shares |  |
| Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 3.26                                  | 12/03/2008           | A               |   | 10,000           |                  | 12/03/2008       | 12/03/2018      | Class A Common Stock | 10,000                     |  |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| ELMORE LEONARD J<br>ONE OLD COUNTRY ROAD<br>SUITE 500<br>CARLE PLACE, NY 11514 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/ LEONARD J.  
ELMORE

12/04/2008

\_\_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).

- The Stock Options were issued under Mr. Elmore's compensation package as a Director of the Company. Each non-employee Director of
- (1) the Company receives on the date of the Annual Shareholder Meeting a grant of either 10,000 stock options which vest immediately or 2,500 shares of Class A Common Stock. Mr. Elmore elected to receive the stock options.
  - (2) Includes stock options previously received that have different vesting, expiration dates and exercise prices.

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