#### FLOWERS FOODS INC

Form 4

February 07, 2007

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1(b).

obligations

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* DEESE GEORGE E

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

FLOWERS FOODS INC [FLO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

\_X\_\_ Director

10% Owner

1919 FLOWERS CIRCLE

(Month/Day/Year)

02/05/2007

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

Chairman-Bd, CEO, President

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

THOMASVILLE, GA 31757

(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	nAcquired (A) or	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
					Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

Common 503,855 D Stock

Common 14,904 (1) I By Spouse Stock

Common 4,328.143 (2) By 401(k) Stock

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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	e Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (A) or of (D)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo Num Shar
Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 29.35	02/05/2007		A	148,000	02/05/2010	02/05/2014	Common Stock	148
Restricted Stock Award (3)	\$ 0	02/05/2007		A	39,900	02/05/2009	02/05/2009(4)	Common Stock	39
Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 14.01					07/16/2007	07/16/2013	Common Stock	256
Option (Right to Buy) (3)	\$ 28.02					01/03/2009	01/03/2013	Common Stock	102
Restricted Stock Award (3)	\$ 0					01/04/2008	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	75
Restricted Stock Award (3)	\$ 0					01/03/2008	01/03/2008(6)	Common Stock	31

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
·L. · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
DEESE GEORGE E 1919 FLOWERS CIRCLE THOMASVILLE, GA 31757	X		Chairman-Bd, CEO, President		

# **Signatures**

Stephen R. Avera, Agent	02/07/2007		
**Signature of Reporting	Date		

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- \* 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) Beneficial ownership is disclaimed.
- (2) Total includes exempt acquisitions of shares allocated to reporting person in Issuer's 401(k) Plan, as of the 2006 fiscal year end, 12/30/2006.
- (3) Granted pursuant to the Flowers Foods, Inc. 2001 Equity and Performance Incentive Plan.
- (4) Grant expires 02/05/2009 if performance measures are not met.
- (5) No expiration date.
- (6) Grant expires 01/03/2008 if performance measures are not met.

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