

Shake Shack Inc.  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
Green Equity Investors VI, L.P.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Shake Shack Inc. [SHAK]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/10/2015

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

11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD, SUITE 2000

(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

LOS ANGELES, CA 90025

(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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V                                                                 | Amount (A) or (D) Price                                                                       |                                                          |                                                       |
| Class A Common Stock            | 12/10/2015                           |                                                    | C                              |                                                                   | 87,640 (1) A \$ 0                                                                             | 202,453                                                  | D (2) (3) (4)                                         |
| Class A Common Stock            | 12/10/2015                           |                                                    | C                              |                                                                   | 6,560 (5) A \$ 0                                                                              | 6,560                                                    | D (2) (3) (6)                                         |
| Class A Common Stock            | 12/10/2015                           |                                                    | S                              |                                                                   | 26,119 (7) D \$ 43.18 (8)                                                                     | 176,334 (9)                                              | D (2) (3) (4)                                         |
| Class A Common                  | 12/10/2015                           |                                                    | S                              |                                                                   | 1,907 (10) D \$ 43.18                                                                         | 4,653 (11)                                               | D (2) (3) (6)                                         |

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|----------------------------|------------|---|----------------|---|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Stock                      |            |   |                |   |                     | (8)               |                   |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 12/10/2015 | S | 15,567<br>(12) | D | \$<br>43.18<br>(8)  | 2,735,785<br>(13) | D (2) (3)<br>(14) |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 12/10/2015 | S | 3,839<br>(7)   | D | \$ 43.9<br>(15)     | 172,495 (9)       | D (2) (3) (4)     |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 12/10/2015 | S | 280 (10)       | D | \$ 43.9<br>(15)     | 4,373 (11)        | D (2) (3) (6)     |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 12/10/2015 | S | 2,288<br>(12)  | D | \$ 43.9<br>(15)     | 2,733,497<br>(13) | D (2) (3)<br>(14) |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 12/11/2015 | S | 28,400<br>(7)  | D | \$<br>41.55<br>(16) | 144,095 (9)       | D (2) (3) (4)     |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 12/11/2015 | S | 2,073<br>(10)  | D | \$<br>41.55<br>(16) | 2,300 (11)        | D (2) (3) (6)     |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 12/11/2015 | S | 16,927<br>(12) | D | \$<br>41.55<br>(16) | 2,716,570<br>(13) | D (2) (3)<br>(14) |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 12/11/2015 | S | 1,558<br>(7)   | D | \$<br>42.17<br>(17) | 142,537 (9)       | D (2) (3) (4)     |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 12/11/2015 | S | 114 (10)       | D | \$<br>42.17<br>(17) | 2,186 (11)        | D (2) (3) (6)     |
| Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 12/11/2015 | S | 928 (12)       | D | \$<br>42.17<br>(17) | 2,715,642<br>(13) | D (2) (3)<br>(14) |

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 | 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 | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
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| Security                                         | (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4,<br>and 5) | (A)        | (D)            | Date Exercisable           | Expiration<br>Date | Title                      | Amo<br>or<br>Num<br>of Sh |
|--------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|----------------|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Class B<br>Common<br>Stock                       | (18)                           | 12/10/2015 | 87,640<br>(19) | (18)                       | (20)               | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 87,                       |
| Class B<br>Common<br>Stock                       | (18)                           | 12/10/2015 | 6,560<br>(21)  | (18)                       | (20)               | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 6,5                       |
| Employee<br>Stock<br>Option<br>(right to<br>buy) | \$ 21                          |            |                | 01/29/2016 <sup>(22)</sup> | 01/29/2025         | Class A<br>Common<br>Stock | 8,2                       |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                                                              | Relationships |           |         |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|                                                                                                             | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Green Equity Investors VI, L.P.<br>11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD<br>SUITE 2000<br>LOS ANGELES, CA 90025      | X             | X         |         |       |
| Green Equity Investors Side VI, L.P.<br>11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD<br>SUITE 2000<br>LOS ANGELES, CA 90025 | X             | X         |         |       |
| Green VI Holdings, LLC<br>11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD<br>SUITE 2000<br>LOS ANGELES, CA 90025               | X             | X         |         |       |
| GEI Capital VI, LLC<br>11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD<br>SUITE 2000<br>LOS ANGELES, CA 90025                  | X             | X         |         |       |
| LEONARD GREEN PARTNERS LP<br>11111 SANTA MONICA BLVD<br>STE 2000<br>LOS ANGELES, CA 90025                   | X             | X         |         |       |
| LGP MANAGEMENT INC<br>11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD<br>SUITE 2000                                            | X             | X         |         |       |

LOS ANGELES, CA 90025

PERIDOT COINVEST MANAGER LLC  
 11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD  
 SUITE 2000 X X  
 LOS ANGELES,, CA 90025

LGP Malted Coinvest LLC  
 11111 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD  
 SUITE 2000 X X  
 LOS ANGELES, CA 90025

## Signatures

/s/ADRIAN J. MAIZEY, Chief Operating Officer and Secretary, GEI Capital VI, LLC, the  
 General Partner of Green Equity Investors VI, L.P. 12/14/2015  
 \_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ADRIAN J. MAIZEY, Chief Operating Officer and Secretary, GEI Capital VI, LLC, the  
 General Partner of Green Equity Investors Side VI, L.P. 12/14/2015  
 \_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ADRIAN J. MAIZEY, Chief Operating Officer and Secretary, Green VI Holdings, LLC 12/14/2015  
 \_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ADRIAN J. MAIZEY, Chief Operating Officer and Secretary, GEI Capital VI, LLC 12/14/2015  
 \_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ADRIAN J. MAIZEY, Chief Operating Officer and Secretary, LGP Management, Inc., the  
 General Partner of Leonard Green & Partners, L.P. 12/14/2015  
 \_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ADRIAN J. MAIZEY, Chief Operating Officer and Secretary, LGP Management, Inc. 12/14/2015  
 \_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ADRIAN J. MAIZEY, Chief Operating Officer and Secretary, LGP Management, Inc., the  
 General Partner of Leonard Green & Partners, L.P., the Manager of Peridot Coinvest Manager  
 LLC 12/14/2015  
 \_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

/s/ADRIAN J. MAIZEY, Chief Operating Officer and Secretary, LGP Management, Inc., the  
 General Partner of Leonard Green & Partners, L.P., the Manager of Peridot Coinvest Manager  
 LLC, the Manager of LGP Malted Coinvest LLC 12/14/2015  
 \_\_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) Represents shares of Class A common stock, par value \$0.001 per share ("A-Common") of the Issuer issued to Green Equity Investors VI, L.P. ("GEI VI"). The shares were issued in exchange for an equivalent number of shares of Class B common stock, par value \$0.001 per share ("B-Common") of the Issuer and limited liability company interests (the "LLC Interests") of SSE Holdings, LLC, tendered to the Issuer pursuant to the exchange right described in note 18 to this Form 4.

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- (2) GEI Capital VI, LLC ("Capital") is the general partner of GEI VI and Green Equity Investors Side VI, L.P. ("GEI Side VI"). Green VI Holdings, LLC ("Holdings") is a limited partner of GEI VI. Leonard Green & Partners, L.P. ("LGP") is the management company of GEI VI and GEI Side VI, and an affiliate of Capital and Holdings. Peridot Coinvest Manager LLC ("Peridot") is the management company of LGP Malted Coinvest LLC ("Malted"), and an affiliate of Capital and Holdings. LGP Management, Inc. ("LGPM") is the general partner of LGP.
- (3) Each of GEI VI, GEI Side VI, Malted, Peridot, LGP, LGPM, Capital, and Holdings, directly (whether through ownership or position), or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, may be deemed for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, to be the indirect beneficial owner of some or all of the A-Common owned by GEI VI, GEI Side VI, or Malted, or the B-Common and LLC Interests owned by GEI VI and Malted (collectively, the "Equity Interests") and, therefore, a "ten percent holder" hereunder.
- (4) Each of GEI Side VI, Malted, Peridot, LGP, LGPM, Capital, and Holdings disclaims beneficial ownership of the Equity Interests reported on this row, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein, and, with respect to GEI VI, except to the extent of its direct ownership reported herein, and this report shall not otherwise be deemed an admission that the Reporting Persons are the beneficial owners of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.
- (5) Represents shares of A-Common issued to Malted. The shares reported on this row were issued to Malted in exchange for an equivalent number of shares of B-Common and LLC Interests tendered to the Issuer pursuant to the exchange right described in note 18 to this Form 4.
- (6) Each of GEI VI, GEI Side VI, Peridot, LGP, LGPM, Capital, and Holdings disclaims beneficial ownership of the Equity Interests reported on this row, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein, and, with respect to Malted, except to the extent of its direct ownership reported herein, and this report shall not otherwise be deemed an admission that the Reporting Persons are the beneficial owners of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.
- (7) Represents shares sold by GEI VI.
- (8) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$42.67 to \$43.65. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The Reporting Persons hereby undertake to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer full information regarding the number of Shares and prices at which the trades were effected.
- (9) Represents shares owned by GEI VI.
- (10) Represents shares sold by Malted.
- (11) Represents shares owned by Malted.
- (12) Represents shares sold by GEI Side VI.
- (13) Represents shares owned by GEI Side VI.
- (14) Each of GEI VI, Malted, Peridot, LGP, LGPM, Capital, and Holdings disclaims beneficial ownership of the Equity Interests reported on this row, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein, and, with respect to GEI Side VI, except to the extent of its direct ownership reported herein, and this report shall not otherwise be deemed an admission that the Reporting Persons are the beneficial owners of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.
- (15) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$43.69 to \$44.10. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The Reporting Persons hereby undertake to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer full information regarding the number of Shares and prices at which the trades were effected.
- (16) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$41.15 to \$42.13. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The Reporting Persons hereby undertake to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer full information regarding the number of Shares and prices at which the trades were effected.
- (17) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$42.15 to \$42.24. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The Reporting Persons hereby undertake to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer full information regarding the number of Shares and prices at which the trades were effected.
- (18) Pursuant to the terms of the Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Issuer, shares of B-Common can be paired with LLC Interests on a one-to-one basis and tendered to the Issuer in exchange for shares of A-Common (or cash, at the Issuer's election).
- (19) Represents shares paired with LLC Interests on a one-to-one basis by GEI VI and exchanged for shares of A-Common.
- (20) Not applicable.
- (21) Represents shares paired with LLC Interests on a one-to-one basis by Malted and exchanged for shares of A-Common.
- (22) These options will vest on January 29, 2016.

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(23) The options reported on this row were granted in respect of Mr. Sokoloff's service on the Issuer's board of directors and are held by Mr. Sokoloff for the benefit of LGP. LGP directly (whether through ownership or position), or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, may be deemed for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, to be the indirect beneficial owner of such options.

### **Remarks:**

Mr. Jonathan D. Sokoloff is a member of the board of directors of the Issuer, and he is also a limited partner of LGP, which is

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