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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Boennighausen David James

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

NOODLES & Co [NDLS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

520 ZANG STREET, SUITE D

(First)

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year) 11/16/2015

_X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

below) Chief Financial Officer

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

BROOMFIELD, CO 80021

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I)

(Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of 8 **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Y	ear) (Instr. 8)	Acquired (A or Disposed (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		f		
			Code V	(A) (I	D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.64	11/16/2015	A	19,092	<u>(1)</u>	11/16/2025	Class A Common Stock	19,092

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner France, Francess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Boennighausen David James 520 ZANG STREET, SUITE D BROOMFIELD, CO 80021	X		Chief Financial Officer			

Signatures

/s/ Paul Strasen, attorney 11/17/2015 in fact

**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) These options fully vest over four years: the options will be 10% vested one year after the transaction date, 30% vested two years after the transaction date, 60% vested three years after the transaction date and 100% vested four years after the transaction date.

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