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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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

(First)

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(Last)

(Middle)

(Zip)

NOODLES & Co [NDLS]

(Check all applicable)

520 ZANG STREET, SUITE D

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

09/21/2018

below)

Chief Executive Officer

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

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Form filed by More than One Reporting

BROOMFIELD, CO 80021

Person

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

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year) 3. Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Securities Form: Direct Indirect Beneficially (D) or Indirect (I) Owned Following (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

(A) Price

Code V Amount (D)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

Class A Common

Stock

(City)

09/21/2018

725 (1) D F

 $74,440^{(2)}$

D

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)			ate	7. Title Amoun Under	int of lying ities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene
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					of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr
					4, and 3)				Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

/s/ David

Boennighausen 09/24/2018

**Signature of Reporting 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).
- Represents shares surrendered to the Issuer by the Reporting Person to pay required tax withholdings due upon vesting of Restricted

 (1) Stock Units granted to the Reporting Person on September 21, 2017. The shares surrendered were valued based on the closing price of the common stock of the Issuer on the date of surrender.
- (2) Includes previously reported shares of common stock underlying Restricted Stock Units granted to the Reporting Person, which are subject to certain vesting conditions.

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