FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Wallstrom Robert | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Vera Bradley, Inc. [VRA] | | | | | | | | | | all app | blicable) ctor | 10% Owner | | wner | |
|--|--|--|---------------|---|---|--|--|--|------|-----------|---|---|---------------|----------|--|---|---|--------------|--|------------|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VERA BRADLEY, INC. 12420 STONEBRIDGE ROAD | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/25/2019 | | | | | | | | | X | belov | er (give title Other (specify below) ident & Chief Exec Officer | | | | | |
| (Street) ROANO | | | 16783 Zip) | | 4. If | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | . Indivine) | lividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | |
| | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transact Date (Month/Date | | | | | Execution Date, | | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 | | | | | | nd 5) | Securi Benefi | cially d Following | 6. Owners Form: Dir (D) or Ind (I) (Instr. 4 | ect irect | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | | (A) or (D) | Price | Tr | | action(s) 3 and 4) | | | (Instr. 4) |
| Common Shares 03/25/ | | | | 2019 | | | | A | | 47,093(1) | | A | \$0 | | 270,747 | | D | | | |
| Common Shares 03/25 | | | | /2019 | | | | F | | 14,030 | | D | \$12.38 | | 256,717 | | D | | | |
| 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) | ve Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any | | n Date, | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiratio | | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amour or Numbe of Title Shares | | ount mber | nt er | | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Owne Form: Direct or Ind (I) (Ins | (D) irect | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents earned performance units, a portion of which remain subject to vesting and forfeiture.

/s/ Alyson Bohren, attorney-infact for Robert Wallstrom

03/27/2019

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

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