FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

| OMB APPROVAL |          |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Sierks Kevin J |   |   |   |         | 2. Is<br><u>Ve</u>                         | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Vera Bradley, Inc. [ VRA ] |   |  |   |               |  |                     |  |              |                                 |                                  | all app<br>Direc   | blicable)<br>ctor   | ng Per   | Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner Other (consider                    |  |
|---|---|---|---|---------|--|---|---|--|---|---------------|--|---------------------|--|--------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|---|--|---|--|
|   | RA BRADI  | irst)<br>LEY, INC.<br>DGE ROAD            |   |         |  |   |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/27/2015                  |   |               |  |                     |  |              |                                 |                                  |  | Officer (give title below)  EVP - Chie  |  | Other (specify below) Fin. Officer                                |  |
| (Street) ROANO  |   | tate)                                     | 46783<br>(Zip)                              |         | _   4. If                                  | Line) X Form filed by   |   |  |   |               |  |                     |  |              |                                 | n filed by One<br>n filed by Moi | nt/Group Filing (Check Applicable<br>d by One Reporting Person<br>d by More than One Reporting |   |  |   |  |
|   |   | Tal                                       | ble I - No                                  | n-Deriv | ative                                      | Se  | cur   | ities  | Acc                                     | uired,        | Dis  | posed o             | f, oı  | r Ben        | efici                           | ally                             | Owne   | ed  |  |   |  |
|   |   |   |   | Date    | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |   | ar) 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) |  | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code (Instr.<br>8) |               | 4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 |                     |  |              | l and 5) Secui<br>Benef<br>Owne |                                  | cially<br>d Following  | Forn<br>(D) c   | wnership<br>n: Direct<br>or Indirect<br>nstr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership               |  |
|   |   | Code                                      | v   | Amount  |  |   |   |  |   | (A) or<br>(D) | Price  |                     | Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)   |              |                                 |                                  | (Instr. 4)   |   |  |   |  |
| Common  | Shares  |   |   | 03/27   | 03/27/2015                                 |   |   |  | A                                       |               | 48,943   | 1)                  | A  | <b>A</b> \$0 |                                 | 65,857                           |  |   | D  |   |  |
| Common  | 03/27   | 3/27/2015                                 |   |         |  | F   |   | 317  |   | D             | D \$16.07  |                     | 65,540   |              |                                 | D                                |  |   |  |   |  |
| Common  | 03/27   | 3/27/2015                                 |   |         |  | D   |   | 1,920(2  | 2)                                      | D \$0         |  | 0                   | 63,620   |              |                                 | D                                |  |   |  |   |  |
| Common  | 03/28   | 03/28/2015                                |   |         |  | F   |   | 297  |   | D             | \$16.09  |                     | 63,323   |              |                                 | D                                |  |   |  |   |  |
| Common Shares   |   |   |   |         | 03/29/2015                                 |   |   |  |   | F             |  | 221                 |  | D            | \$16.09                         |                                  | 63,102   |   |  | D   |  |
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| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)     | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year | 3A. Deer<br>Execution<br>if any<br>(Month/E |         | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8)               |   | n o D D S A (// D o (I a  | of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |   |               |  | e                   | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instrand 4)  Amou or Numb of Title Share |              | ount<br>nber                    |                                  | vative<br>urity  | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | F<br>C   | Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents restricted stock units subject to vesting and forfeiture.
- 2. Represents the cancellation of performance-based restricted stock units based upon actual performance during the relevant performance period versus target performance.

/s/ Anastacia S. Knapper, attorney-in-fact for Kevin J.

**Sierks** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

03/31/2015

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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