FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Thompson David O.						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  Vera Bradley, Inc. [ VRA ]									Check	all app Dired	olicable)	g Person(s) to		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VERA BRADLEY, INC. 2208 PRODUCTION ROAD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/15/2013									X Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Sen. VP-Multi Channel Commerce					
(Street) FORT WAYNE IN 46808 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of 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					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day)						Execution Da			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				and 5) Secur		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	ct ect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount	(A (I	A) or D)	Price	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(111301. 4)
Common Stock 07/15/2						2013			S		750(1)		D	\$23.275		46,633		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)	Derivative Conversion Date Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year)		Execution Date, if any			Transaction Code (Instr.		of		Exerci on Da Day/Ye		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. : and 4)		nstr. 3			9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	D) ect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The shares reported in column 4 represent shares sold pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 plan entered into on December 12, 2012.

/s/ Anastacia S. Knapper, attorney-in-fact for David O.

**Thompson** 

07/17/2013

\*\* 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).
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