Ray Michael C. Form 4 November 16, 2018

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Ray Michael C.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Vera Bradley, Inc. [VRA]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director 10% Owner

C/O VERA BRADLEY, INC., 12420 11/14/2018

Officer (give title __X_ Other (specify below) below)

(Street)

Member of a 10% owner group

STONEBRIDGE ROAD

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

ROANOKE, IN 46783

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Own							
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	ration Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	11/14/2018		S	2,429 (1)	D	\$ 12.58 (2)	55,879	D	
Common Stock	11/15/2018		S	2,429 (1)	D	\$ 11.98 (2)	53,450	D	
Common Stock	11/14/2018		S	10,913 (1)	D	\$ 12.59 (<u>3)</u>	251,026	I	By Michael Ray 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust

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Common Stock	11/15/2018	S	10,913 (1)	D	\$ 11.99 (3)	240,113	I	By Michael Ray 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust
Common Stock	11/14/2018	S	3,276 (1)	D	\$ 12.58 (4)	199,116	I	By Anne-Marie Ray Revocable Trust
Common Stock	11/15/2018	S	3,276 (1)	D	\$ 11.98 (4)	195,840	I	By Anne-Marie Ray Revocable Trust
Common Stock						2,810,469 (5)	I	By Barbara B. Baekgaard 2009 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust
Common Stock						411,003	I	By Anne-Marie Ray 2017 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust #1

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Date	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	Underlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	re	Securities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities	S	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Own
	Security				Acquired				Follo
					(A) or				Repo
					Disposed				Trans
					of (D)				(Instr
					(Instr. 3,				

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4, and 5)

Date Expiration Exercisable Date

Code V (A) (D)

Amount or Title Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Ray Michael C. C/O VERA BRADLEY, INC. 12420 STONEBRIDGE ROAD ROANOKE, IN 46783

Member of a 10% owner group

Signatures

/s/ Michael C.

Ray 11/15/2018

**Signature of Person Date

Reporting Person

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) The sales reported in this Form 4 were effected under a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted on April 6, 2018.
 - The prices reported are weighted average prices. The shares sold on November 14, 2018 were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$12.30 to \$13.09, inclusive, and the shares sold on November 15, 2018 were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging
- (2) from \$11.80 to \$12.18, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
 - The prices reported are weighted average prices. The shares sold on November 14, 2018 were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$12.29 to \$13.11, inclusive, and the shares sold on November 15, 2018 were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging
- (3) from \$11.80 to \$12.18, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
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- (4) from \$11.80 to \$12.18, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
- (5) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

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