NATHANS FAMOUS INC

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

1. Name and Ad- Watts Randy	dress of Repo	rting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			NATHANS FAMOUS INC [NATH]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
C/O NATHAN'S FAMOUS,			03/05/2015	X Officer (give title Other (specify			
INC., ONE JERICHO PLAZA				below) VP - Franchise Operations			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
JERICHO, NY US 11573			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit n(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/05/2015		M	7,500 (1)	A	\$ 13.08	13,524	D	
Common Stock	03/05/2015		F	3,313 (2)	D	\$ 74	10,211	D	
Common Stock	03/05/2015		M	3,750 (3)	A	\$ 17.75	24,061	D	
Common Stock	03/05/2015		F	1,947 (2)	D	\$ 74	12,179	D	

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

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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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number conf Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
2002 Stock Option Plan (Right to Buy)	\$ 13.08	03/05/2015		M	7,500	<u>(4)</u>	06/13/2016	Common Stock	7,500
2010 Stock Incentive Plan (Right to Buy)	\$ 17.75	03/05/2015		M	3,750	(5)	06/05/2016	Common Stock	3,750

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

VP - Franchise Operations

Watts Randy C/O NATHAN'S FAMOUS, INC. ONE JERICHO PLAZA JERICHO, NY US 11573

Signatures

/s/ Randy Watts 03/09/2015

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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- * 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) These shares were acquired through the exercise of stock options granted on June 14, 2006 pursuant to the Issuer's 2002 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (2) Transaction represents withholding of shares based on a net exercise to satisfy tax withholding obligation and exercise cost.
- (3) These shares were acquired through the exercise of stock options granted on June 6, 2011 pursuant to the Issuer's 2010 Stock Incentive Plan.
- (4) Options vested 20% on each of the first through fifth anniversaries of June 14, 2006, the grant date.
- (5) Options vested 25% on each of the first through fourth anniversaries of June 6, 2011, the grant date.

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