FLOWERS FOODS INC

Form 4

February 27, 2017

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Hubbard David**

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

FLOWERS FOODS INC [FLO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2017

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner _X__ Officer (give title _ Other (specify

below) SVP/Information Technology CIO

3336 LAKE RUN DRIVE

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

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Person

TALLAHASSEE, FL 32309

(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
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			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	02/23/2017		A	3,984 (1)	A	\$0	23,893	D		
Common Stock	02/23/2017		F	1,539	D	\$ 19.2	22,354	D		
Common Stock							1,733.63	I	By 401(k)	

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)

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								of			
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Hubbard David 3336 LAKE RUN DRIVE TALLAHASSEE, FL 32309

SVP/Information Technology CIO

Signatures

/s/ Stephen R. Avera, 02/27/2017 Agent

**Signature of Reporting Date
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) Vesting of contingent performance share units granted under the Flowers Foods, Inc. 2014 Omnibus Equity and Incentive Compensation
- (2) Total includes exempt acquisitions of shares allocated to reporting person under Issuer's 401(k) Plan, based on a plan statement dated as of 12/31/2016.

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