#### **BJs RESTAURANTS INC**

Form 4 January 19, 2016

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Miller Kendra D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

BJs RESTAURANTS INC [BJRI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Sr. VP & General Counsel

Issuer

(Last)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

01/15/2016

Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below)

7755 CENTER AVENUE, SUITE 300

Security

(Instr. 3)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

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

**HUNTINGTON BEACH, CA 92647** 

(Month/Day/Year)

(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 3.

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

(A)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Reported Transaction(s)

Following

(Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price

Restricted

(1)

Stock Units 01/15/2016 943

Code V Amount

\$0 4.029 D

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

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

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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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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 proof 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 Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Share
Non-Qualified Stock Options	\$ 42.41	01/15/2016		A	2,787	01/15/2017	01/15/2026	Common	2,7

# **Reporting Owners**

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

Officer Other Director 10% Owner

Miller Kendra D 7755 CENTER AVENUE **SUITE 300 HUNTINGTON BEACH, CA 92647** 

Sr. VP & General Counsel

Stock

### **Signatures**

(2)

/s/Jake J. Guild, attorney-in-fact for Kendra D. Miller

01/19/2016 Date

\*\*Signature of 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).
- These units represent a restricted stock award vesting in three equal annual installments beginning on January 15, 2017. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock.
- (2) These stock options vest 33.3% per year beginning on January 15, 2017.

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