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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A CROOM M	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol				C	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer						
			LOWE	LOWES COMPANIES INC [LOW]					(Check all applicable)			
(Last) 1000 LOWI	(First) E'S BOULEVA	(Middle)	3. Date of (Month/E) 04/01/2					Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) below) Chief Financial Officer				
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date 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				
MOORESVILLE, NC 28117								Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Secui	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	r) Execution	med on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	04/01/2018			M	2,830	A	\$ 0 (1)	45,371.3342 (2)	D			
Common Stock	04/01/2018			F	848 (3)	D	\$ 87.75	44,523.3342	D			
Common Stock								8,080.558 (4)	I	by 401(k) Plan		

839.902

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

by IRA

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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. Number	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Title and A	Amount of	8
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	onof Derivative	Expiration D	ate	Underlying S	Securities	I
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or	(Month/Day/	Year)	(Instr. 3 and	4)	(
	Security				Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Performance Share Units	<u>(5)</u>	04/01/2018		M	2,830	<u>(5)</u>	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	2,830	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CROOM MARSHALL A 1000 LOWE'S BOULEVARD MOORESVILLE, NC 28117

Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

By: /s/ Sandra Felton by power of attorney for: Marshall A. Croom

04/03/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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) Each performance share unit represented a contingent right to receive one share of the Issuer's common stock upon the achievement of certain pre-established metrics over the three-year performance period ending at the end of fiscal 2017.
- (2) Direct holdings include 149 shares acquired under the Lowe's Employee Stock Purchase Plan.
- (3) Reflects shares delivered by reporting person to satisfy withholding taxes due upon vesting of performance share units granted on April 1, 2015.
- (4) The information provided for the shares held by the 401(k) Plan in this report is based on a plan statement dated as of March 30, 2018.
- (5) At the vest date, the performance share units earned converted into an equivalent number of shares of the Issuer's common stock.

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