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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,

obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

Boatwright Scott Issuer Symbol CHIPOTLE MEXICAN GRILL INC (Check all applicable) [CMG] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (First) (Middle) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 1401 WYNKOOP STREET, SUITE 01/07/2018 Chief Restaurant Officer

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

500

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting **DENVER, CO 80220**

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

> (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D)

Common 3,824 Α $A^{(1)}$ 01/07/2018 \$0 $3,824 \frac{(1)}{2}$ D (1) (1) stock

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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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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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 of or 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 Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Nu of
2018 Retention SOSARs	\$ 313.79	01/07/2018		A	14,709	01/07/2020(2)	01/07/2025	Common stock	14
2017 Stock Appreciation Rights	\$ 475.7					05/30/2019(3)	05/30/2024	Common stock	10

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Boatwright Scott 1401 WYNKOOP STREET, SUITE 500 DENVER, CO 80220			Chief Restaurant Officer			

Signatures

/s/ Michael McGawn, as attorney-in-fact 01/09/2018

**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) Represents an award of shares of restricted stock to the reporting person, which will vest in equal amounts on the second and third anniversaries of the grant date, subject to possible acceleration of vesting.
- (2) The Stock Appreciation Rights awarded to the reporting person vest in equal amounts on the second and third anniversaries of the grant date, subject to possible acceleration of vesting.
- (3) The Stock Appreciation Rights held by the reporting person vest in equal amounts on the second and third anniversaries of the grant date, subject to possible acceleration of vesting.

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