WOOD C MARTIN III

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WOOD C MARTIN III		ng Person *_	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol FLOWERS FOODS INC [FLO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Спеск ан аррисане)		
125-C NORTH STREET, SUIT			(Month/Day/Year) 05/24/2018	X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
THOMASVILLE, GA 31792			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecuri	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A			or	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	,	1	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	05/24/2018		M	7,020	A	\$ 0 (1)	1,223,794	D	
Common Stock							486.67	I	By 401(k)
Common Stock							6,527,872	I	By Spouse (3)
Common Stock							116,865	I	By Trust

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number out 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)		8. Pr Deriv Secu (Inst
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Deferred Stock (5)	\$ 0 (1)	05/24/2018		M	7,020	05/24/2018	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	7,020	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WOOD C MARTIN III 125-C NORTH BROAD STREET SUITE 313 THOMASVILLE, GA 31792

X

Signatures

/s/ Stephen R. Avera, Agent

05/29/2018

**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) In accordance with the terms of the Deferred Shares Agreement for Directors, the deferred shares awarded do not have a conversion or exercise price.
- (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.
- (3) Beneficial ownership is disclaimed.
- (4) By trust for reporting person's sister and nephew.

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- (5) Granted under the Flowers Foods, Inc. 2014 Omnibus Equity and Incentive Compensation Plan.
- (6) No expiration date.

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